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Height of Fashion

Paris.
HIGH HATS are in again—however you manage it if you really want to be in the fashion you must have a hat that adds several inches to your stature.

Paris designs are showing high-crowned hats, usually with a tapering crown, or a two- or three-tiered crown; wide brims curled upwards at the sides, or sweeping up in front to give height; very big berets, which if set on the back of the head and pulled straight up in front may add four inches to your measurements; and high swathed turbans.

NOW there's no denying that unless you're very careful these high hats are aging. Realising this, some of the hatters have designed models of normal dimensions and trimmed them with very high mounts. One flat turban I've seen has a plume a foot high mounted bang in the centre front.

In fact, designers this season have been more considerate than usual, and realising also that high hats are often difficult to keep poised "just so" in the winter winds, they have made frequent use of the chin strap—a fashion which has been insinuating its way into favour for the last few months.

I ASKED Madame Suzy, the Duchess of Kent's favourite hatter, to put in a nutshell what she considered to be the chief features of her new collection.

This is what she said—"Very big berets, in felt, with trimming of satin ribbons or cordellere (cords or girdles) in vivid colours, as black felt with violet blue; in turbans in velvet, draped and trimmed cordellere; crowns not very high, but brims high."

And here is how Madame Agnes, who numbers Marlene Dietrich amongst her best customers, describes her new collection—"Tendence high turbans of different shades of jersey; high-crown antelope felt sports hats; chin-straps."

Colour contrasts are to be seen in almost every hat. Suzy gets her contrasts by trimmings, and Agnes, as in the case of the turbans, by using two or three shades in the material of which each is made.

NOW for Erik, the young Danish hatter. He uses "Ocean blue, a cold greeny-blue tone throughout his collection."

His models are tall, with tapering crowns. His most advanced designs are interpretations of Eskimo head-dresses and the peasant styles of Greenland and other Northernly places. These have fur trimmings—sometimes a fox's brush rises straight into the air at the back of a tapering felt toque.

He also uses Persian lamb and Russian ermine as trimmings with felt.

Some of his hats are designed so that they can be worn back to front, and are made to look simple when worn one way and dressy and important the other.

FEATHER-WEIGHT for felt still holds the stage as the most used material of all, and light-weight velours, velvet, and jersey are firm favourites too.

These Desart hats many lovely models in steeled felt with medium crown and wide brims sweeping up high in front and graduating downwards to the sides till at the back the brim lies down flat along the nape of the neck.

Velvet hats are seen in particularly vivid colours of Royal blue and rich gypsy purples. Reds in coppery and brick shades are used to contrast with browns.

ANGRAVE has sketched several typical hats—included amongst them are three of Erik's.

pears, generally above the knee. For the roughness, the legs should be massaged with warm oil before the bath, while the "gooseflesh" succumbs to a good oiling ten minutes before the bath.

A brisk scouring with soapy lather and a loofah, or nail brush follows, and afterwards a rinsing in warm, then cold water, and, after drying, a little hand cream should be smoothed over the skin.

If you have scorch marks, from sitting over the fire, you may make them appear fainter by dabbing them with calomine lotion, and if they are not too dark, they may be disguised by a layer of a special cream which dries on the skin, looks quite natural, and is not easily rubbed off.

Oil Soothes
SOMETIMES the legs are rough and "gooseflesh" ap-

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Small sketches show an up-in-front down at back stitched velvet; a new wide beret shape; and a country felt with chin strap.

SICK-ROOM MEALS

MOST home nurses know the difficulty of persuading their patient to take a sufficient amount of food, and during convalescence, especially when the "feeding up" stage is reached, the importance of taking plenty of nourishment cannot be over-rated.

An invalid's appetite is invariably capricious, but much can be done by sending into the sick-room a tray looking as attractive as possible. Food always seems nicer and more tempting if it is daintily served. Often a sick person will turn away from a slovenly, badly set tray when she might have enjoyed an inviting looking little meal.

Tray cloths and napkins should be spotlessly clean and fresh. A yard or two of checked dingham, cornflower blue, or buttercup yellow, will make attractive tablecloths which do not require constant washing, or a good plan is to use the paper Japanese variety with gaily-coloured borders. A fresh one can then be put on each day. These make a change for the patient, saves washing, and are invaluable for infectious cases.

Use Bright Patterned China

The silver and glass should always be well polished, and a few flowers, arranged in a vase with a broad base so that it will not upset, make a dainty finish. Brightly coloured china is more attractive than plain white, especially if a favourable pattern can be obtained. If the invalid is likely to be in bed for some time it is worth while getting a tea-set for her special use, and also a couple of tray-sets consisting of a tray cloth, napkin, tea cosy, and egg cosy, made of linen and embroidered with cross stitch or in a design to match the pattern on the china.

For dinner, a hot-water plate will ensure that the food is kept really hot, and a tiny vegetable dish, with partridges will enable the patient to help herself to vegetables, a much better plan than a heaped-up plate. Fancy cruets in a variety of different designs should be used. The pudding should be sent up in a small

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Superfluous hair is one of the chief "uglinesses" as far as our legs are concerned. Bare legs and thin stockings encourage the hairs to grow until we suddenly realise how unsightly our legs have become.

Simple Depilatories

HOWEVER, the remedy is quite simple and we only have to choose a depilatory which meets our requirements.

Do not fear that depilatories will necessarily encourage the growth of the hair. True, if you begin to shave your legs, you will produce a crop of bristles very soon, but you can obtain several depilatories which discourage the growth of the hair, also another preparation which comes in two parts—one to destroy the hair, and the second to weaken the roots.

Always wash and dry the skin to be treated, and then add a dusting of talc powder if the skin is sensitive. After the removal of the hair, the skin should be dabbed with a mild antiseptic and then a layer of skin food may be necessary.

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SOMETIMES the legs are rough and "gooseflesh" ap-

Pointers

● The Duchess of Kent's favourite hatter shows—very big berets, cord and girdle trimmings; draped velvet turbans; high brims where crowns are low.

● Marlene Dietrich's favourite hatter shows—high turbans in different shades of jersey; high-crown antelope felt sports hats; chin-straps.

● Ocean blue is the new greeny-blue tone introduced in all the models of a young Danish designer.

Their Good Taste

BRIDES who have been presented recently with crockery for their wedding presents have showed a marked appreciation of handsome reproductions of old services.

The Old Bow service, with an ornate vase as the central motif, and sprays of flowers around the edges of the plates is one very popular pattern. It is seen in very soft colours, and the handles of the various pieces are finished in gold.

There is also a charming modern design which is making a great appeal. It is not a copy of an old pattern, though the colours used have all the softness of the colours seen on old china. Here a motif of acorns, berries and nuts appears on a cream ground, and border lines to the plates leave a clear inch space all round.

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MIRACLE SURGERY IN LONDON HOSPITAL

Fifty Men And Women Have Sex Changed

MUCH SUFFERING NOW BANISHED

Fifty British men and women in the past three years have had their sex changed at a London hospital.

This miracle of modern medicine has until now been the secret of the surgeons engaged. Now they are preparing a book which will reveal their work of "borderline cases" to the world.

Research has been carried out at Charing Cross Hospital, London, of which Mr. L. R. Broster is an honorary surgeon. In the book he will deal with the results of operations. Complete case histories will be given.

Other contributors are Dr. Vines, who will deal with cell changes in the glands, and Dr. Clifford Allen, who will tell his experiences in psychotherapy.

"The book will show that sex abnormalities are more prevalent than is generally thought," a hospital official told the Sunday Chronicle.

GIRLS BECOME BOYS

"Abnormal types, of course, have always existed. But their fate in the past has generally been antipathy and even persecution.

"To-day the problem is being treated in a more enlightened way. The results of operations show now that a great deal of human suffering can be banished."

Changes generally occur at adolescence, usually among girls, and begin when they show tendencies to become boys.

Operations on the adrenal glands are usually effective. One typical case treated was that of a girl who began to grow a moustache and beard at the age of 14.

Her general build was that of a boy rather than a girl and her voice was low-pitched.

HER VOICE CHANGED

After the operation the hair on her face disappeared; her cheeks became rosy; the quality of her voice changed; her interests in life became distinctly feminine.

Cases are cited where women patients, after the operation, have married and given birth to children. Not all the operations carried out have been 100 per cent. successful, of course. In some cases the results are said to be doubtful.

Few, even in the medical profession, outside Charing Cross Hospital knew about the pioneer work which has been carried out for the sex-correction.

PAYS RATES THOUGH MAY BE HOMELESS

The scene was the S.M.C. Revenue Office, Kiangse Road, Shanghai.

A Chinese of the middle class walked into the room and announced he desired to pay his Municipal rate for the third quarter. He seemed somewhat apprehensive, and he made profound apologies for being late with his payment.

The clerk on duty asked him where



Dr. Roberto M. Ortiz, former Minister of Finance of Argentina, who is a highly favoured candidate for President in the elections to be held soon. He is the candidate of the Government party. President Augustin P. Justo has served six years and, under the constitution, cannot serve another term.

Love Drama Of "Living Target"

GIRL'S SUICIDE DURING STAGE SHOW

Lydia Linders, the "living target," hit upon a new way of committing suicide when the man with whom she was in love chose another woman.

Lydia and Leo Gavornin, a Caucasian, staged a variety "act" in which the girl stood against a board while the man outlined her figure with rifle bullets.

Leo, whose real name is Wassili, is an expert with the gun and, during all the time the couple had been touring, there was never an accident.

But, at a little Grecian town, states a message from Athens, Lydia was hit in the heart. She died almost immediately.

Police inquiries have shown that one of Leo's rifles was loaded with lead, instead of the wax bullets ordinarily used.

Investigation has also shown that Lydia's death was neither accident nor murder, as at first supposed.

The authorities are now satisfied that the girl, who claimed to be Princess Baranikoff, deliberately committed suicide by moving sideways as the fatal shot was fired after having loaded the rifle with real bullets.

Messages from Lydia's brother, who lies in Ceylon, have proved that she was broken-hearted because Leo had fallen in love with another woman and had promised marriage.

She had told friends that she could not live without Leo.

his property was situated. He answered, "Point Road."

"Of course," he added, "I haven't been there for over ten days but I think it is there!"

He paid his rate and went away with a satisfied smile.

FRENCH FLIGHTS TO COLONIES

60 Aeroplanes To Take Part

Paris. The mass long-distance flights of 60 heavy machines of the French air force to French Colonies in Indo-China, Madagascar and Equatorial Africa are to be made in the last half of next month.

These flights are intended to demonstrate the efficiency and enterprise of France in the air and to correct a certain amount of pessimism caused by Italy's victory in the recent Ypres-Damascus race.

The flights are to be undertaken by three squadrons of the 1st Air Corps. A squadron of four-engined Farman 221 bombers will fly to French Indo-China and back and will be accompanied to Syria by a detachment of Marcel Bloch 200 machines of the Levant squadron.

A squadron of twin-engine Amiot 143 heavy fighters and bombers will fly to Madagascar, and a squadron of twin-engined Potez 540 machines will fly to French Equatorial Africa.

After meeting at Ypres, near Marseilles, on the completion of their flights, all machines will fly together to Paris.

MALINGERER'S FIGHT WITH DOCTOR

Consulting Room Battle Royal

A battle royal in a doctor's consulting-room between a malingering and the surgeon who had caught him off his guard was described at the Industrial Welfare Society's Conference, at Oxford, by Mr. R. Watson Jones, hon. orthopaedic surgeon at Liverpool Royal Infirmary.

He showed the delegates a film illustrating the work being done by orthopaedic surgery to rehabilitate men and women who have been temporarily incapacitated by injuries, and said that the film was shown to the King some months ago at a dinner party, attended by leading employers of labour. Since then many thousands had been subscribed for the establishment of fracture clinics and rehabilitation centres.

Malingeringers are usually made, not born," Mr. Watson Jones went on, "but there are still a few pure malingeringers—men who have no disability, but who see in a trivial accident a source of income."

"A man came into my consulting room one day with his head down on one side. He had not been able to straighten his neck for two years, and many pounds had been spent on treatment. It was quite clear, however, that he was deliberately holding his head in a vice-like grip, and there was nothing whatever wrong with him."

"In the course of the examination I suddenly took him off his guard, and put his head perfectly straight. So infuriated was he that he leaped to his feet and struck out with his fist."

"The sober dignity of the consulting-room was shattered by a battle royal—an all-in wrestling match, in the course of which the man demonstrated the most perfect movement of every point in his body, including his neck."



Persistent reports in Nanking, China, were to the effect that Soviet Russia would soon consider Outer Mongolia an integral part of the Chinese Republic. In that event, Russia presumably would be bound to aid China in the war against Japan, because of the Chinese-Russian non-aggression pact. The Russian anti-aircraft gunners shown above, a Siberian unit on the Amur river, might be called into real action.

Reprieved, To Seek Murder Witness

"SCOTTY" MASON, sentenced to death for the Brixton taxicab murder in May, 1923, but later reprieved, leaves Parkhurst Prison soon—with a set purpose in life.

A close friend of his revealed that Mason is determined to find the mysterious third man, said to have been seen at the time of the crime. This man was also known as "Scotty."

"Mason has always maintained his innocence and I believe him," said his friend.

"I am firmly convinced that if this other man can be traced the case can be reopened and Mason granted a free pardon."

Alexander Campbell Mason was 22 when he was convicted of shooting Jacob Dickey, a Stepmother taxi-driver, in Brixton. A petition for his reprieve was signed by 60,000 people.

AT PRISON CONCERTS

He was first sent to Dartmoor and later to Parkhurst Prison.

"While in gaol Mason has taught himself to play the violin well,

although before he went inside he could not play a note.

He has frequently played solos at prison concerts and hopes to get employment as a musician when he is liberated.

Mason has also become a good chess player and is at present match captain of the Parkhurst team.

He has played against many famous chess masters who have visited the gaol and has beaten or drawn with some of them.

Sylvia Sidney Wants To Go On The Stage

By Molly Castle Hollywood, Sept. 5.

SYLVIA SIDNEY, heart-throb girl of the screen, is longing to get on the stage. She confessed to me in her dressing-room that she prefers to be behind the footlights instead of the arc-lights!

"I don't live in California," she explained to me. "I work in California, but I live in New York, Broadway is my spiritual home."

Sylvia's stage longing is going to be gratified. She is now off to New York in fact as well as spirit.

She is going to do a play there—but she will be back.

I was having lunch with Sylvia in her dressing-room during the making of her latest picture, "Dead End."

Sylvia wore a shabby cotton dress and carried a two-shilling handbag, because in the picture she is a girl of the New York slums.

NERVOUS SYLVIA

"Nothing worth while ever comes out of having a good time," said Sylvia to me.

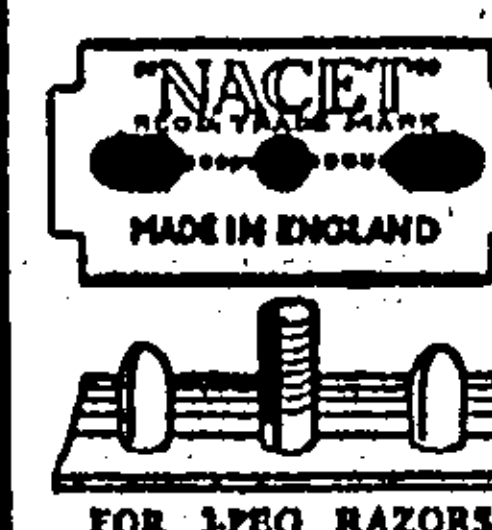
"Well, nobody can accuse Miss Sidney of having too good a time, even when she's doing the things she likes to do; and she does an awful lot of things she doesn't like doing."

Sylvia is super-sensitive, nervous, high strung. She feels things too deeply, worries too much. Probably the few good times she has had would have been a sheer ecstasy unknown to happy, carefree, less highly tuned people.

It's no fun having this kind of a temperament. Bad things seem to happen so much more often than good ones.

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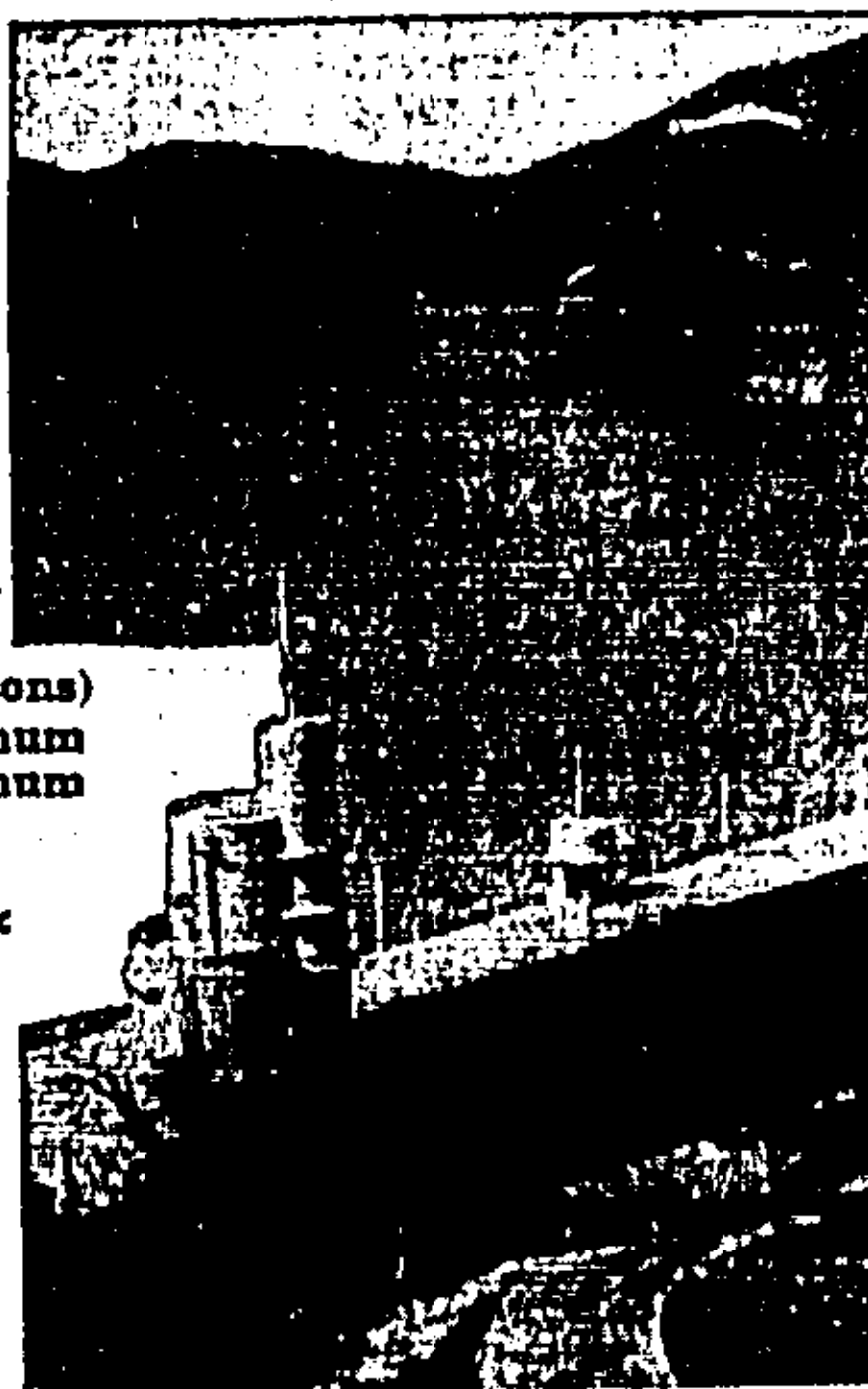
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SHANSI ADVANCE Chinese Successes Near Great Wall JUNCTION EFFECTED

Taiyuan, Oct. 6.

Dealing a smashing blow to the Japanese drive into Shansi province, the forces of the 8th Route Army under Generals Chu Teh and Peng Te-hui captured a number of strategic towns in the northern section of the province on October 4, according to official reports received here.

The Chinese recaptured Taihsien and Fanshih, driving the Japanese back in great confusion towards the Yenmen Pass, Tai-tchen and Shaho.

Telephone communications between Yangmingshan, Taihsien and Taiyuan have been resumed.

On the same day the Chinese entered Chingping, killing 500 Japanese on the field, including one officer. A Japanese flag and numerous maps, five cannons and a huge supply of munitions were seized. General Yen Hsi-shan, Pacification Commissioner for Shansi and Suiyuan, has awarded \$2,000 cash to the victorious troops.

Yesterday the troops under General Chu Teh re-occupied Pinglu, capital of Pinglu district in northern Shansi. The Chinese forces are continuing to push north-west to drive the Japanese invaders out of the province.—Central News.

MOPPING UP

Taiyuan, Oct. 7.

The troops of the 8th Route Army under General Chu Teh are rapidly clearing the northern Shansi area of Japanese, Manchukuo and Mongol invaders.

Following the recapture of Suhsien and Pinglu, these forces have resorted to guerrilla warfare, inflicting heavy casualties on the Japanese.

The scene of fighting in northern Shansi is being shifted to the vicinity of Yenmen Pass where the 8th Route Army men are pounding the Japanese just outside of the inner wall.

Meanwhile, a Japanese column is now being surrounded at Yuanning, about 30 miles south of Yenmen Pass, and the fall of the important highway town is expected any moment.

Reports from the front claim that during several attempts to break through the Chinese cordon 500 Japanese were killed and wounded.—Central News.

CHINESE CLAIM SUCCESSES

Taiyuan, Oct. 7.

All enemy troops are cleared of Taihsien south of the Yenmen Pass on the Great Wall.

The divisions commanded by General Yen Hsi-shan, Pacification Commissioner of Shansi and Suiyuan, effected a junction to-day with the 8th Route Army at Ningyue south of the Great Wall and east of Yenmen Pass.

It is reported that the Japanese and Mongol forces have retired to the north of the Great Wall.

The capture of Pinglu beyond the Great Wall in Northern Shansi by the 8th Route Army indicates that at least a portion of this unit are operating beyond the Wall.—International News.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Disclaimer

Oct. 7, 1937.

Sir,—Referring to the statement appearing in the late edition of your newspaper yesterday to the effect that I had been interviewed and had expressed certain views regarding the blocking of the Canton River, I shall be glad if you will allow me space in your valuable columns to make the following corrections:—

Your representative desired to know when the "Taishan" would return from Canton. In reply, I informed him that I thought that it would be soon. On the "On Lee" being mentioned I expressed surprise that that steamer had returned to Hongkong as I was under the impression that navigation in the river was still prohibited.

On the subject of local shipping companies having made joint representations to the Chinese Authorities through H.B.M. Consul-General, I wish to state that I did not make the statement attributed to me. I was questioned on the subject, but my reply was to the effect that I could not speak for the owners of the steamers tied up at Canton. Insofar as the Steamboat Company was concerned, I had received no advice from the Company's Canton Agents, and was therefore not then in a position to make a statement.

In particular, I wish to emphasise that I did not say:

"The action was taken because it was felt that no matter what the war-time conditions were, they had nothing to do with neutral shipping."

Yours faithfully,

A. DA LUZ,

Secretary.

RADIO BROADCAST

(Continued from Page 7.)

10.35 a.m. Sonata Recital by Ronald Onley (Violin) and Irene Crowther (Pianoforte).
11.10 a.m. The News and Announcements.
Greenwich Time Signal at 11.15 a.m.

11.30 a.m. Dance Music.
11.40 a.m. Film Shows.
12 p.m. Big Ben. "Dancing Through."
4 p.m. Object All Sublime.
4.15 p.m. Musical Interlude.

4.20 p.m. The News and Announcements.
Greenwich Time Signal at 4.30 p.m.
4.45 p.m. Organ Recital by Eric Tilmann.
6.45 p.m. The BBC Northern Ireland Orchestra.

7.50 p.m. A Hundred Years Ago.
8.30 p.m. Dance Music.
9.15 p.m. "Trees into Timber-7: The Home of the Teak Tree."
9.30 p.m. The News and Announcements.
Greenwich Time Signal at 9.45 p.m.

10.15 p.m. Big Ben. The BBC Empire Orchestra.
11.15 p.m. "The Alphabet."
12 a.m. The News and Announcements.
Greenwich Time Signal at 12.15 a.m.

12.25 a.m. Musical Interlude.
(Continued on Page 12.)
12.30 a.m. Put to the Test.
12.40 a.m. The Gershwin Parkington Quartet.

2 a.m. Big Ben. The News and Announcements.
Greenwich Time Signal at 2.15 a.m.
2.25 a.m. The Band of His Majesty's Coldstream Guards.
3.30 a.m. Recital by Alan Hyde (Horn), Wilfred Small (Violin), and Maurice Cole (Pianoforte).

4 a.m. Put to the Test—3.
4.30 a.m. "Hunting Harmonies" by King and Prince at Two Pianos.
4.45 a.m. Interval.
5 a.m. The News and Announcements.
5.25 a.m. The Saturday Game.
6.25 a.m. Can you hear it?—1: The Case of the Threaded Whistle.
6.40 a.m. Dance Music.

MURDER OUTRAGE IN YAUMATI INQUEST ON MAN KILLED WITH A BOMB

As a sequel to the Yaumati bomb outrage on the evening of August 5, when a Chinese returned from America, Ng Tii-chau, 38, was mortally injured by a "gift" which exploded in his hands, an inquiry was held at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday into the circumstances surrounding the man's death.

No evidence as to Ng's personal affairs was forthcoming, and no motive for the murder was revealed. A verdict of murder by some person or persons unknown was recorded. Mr. E. Himsforth, first Kowloon Magistrate, sat as Coroner and was assisted by a jury comprising Messrs. A. H. Lammert (Foreman), M. T. Nunes and Suen Len O'Leary. Detective Inspector A. E. Carey was present for the police.

Mr. V. C. Branson, Government Analyst, produced a dummy bomb constructed on the remains of the original one. He explained that the bomb had been in the shape of a cylindrical package with a cap top. On Ng attempting to remove the cap, an electrical circuit was made with the aid of a battery in the top half of the package. This circuit resulted in a flash in a thick glass bottle, containing black gunpowder, at the bottom of the package. The flash in turn ignited the powder and an explosion ensued.

Mr. Branson demonstrated this with the dummy in which the lighting of a small electric lamp bulb took the place of the flash. The flash, he said, had been caused by a naked wire.

Ng's widow, Lam Suet-king, 31, said that at the time of the murder, the family had been living at 6 Tung Fong Street, ground floor. About 7 p.m. the doorbell rang and was answered by her young son and nephew. The boys returned and said they had been given a parcel by a man. This parcel they took to Ng, who was in the kitchen with two friends.

Witness, who was playing mah-jong, heard an explosion, and then her husband crying out and the boys weeping. She went to his assistance and he was later taken to the Kowloon Hospital where he died in the early hours of next morning.

The widow would not say what her husband had been doing for living or how he made his money.

Man Brings "Present"

The son, Ng Chan-kuang, aged 12, said he had received a parcel from a man who said it was a present. Together with his cousin, he went to the kitchen and gave it to his father. Tearing off the wrapping, the father expressed his wonder as to who was giving him a present, and one of his two friends, Ng Kam-sze, remarked that it might be a bomb! Deceased twisted the cap to take it off, and an explosion occurred, in which everybody present was hurt.

Ngai Cheuk-pui, the friend who had been present, corroborated this. He also could not say what deceased had been doing for a living.

Inspector Carey then said that Ng Kam-sze was unable to attend court as he was ill. A detective had been sent to see him that day, and it was his opinion that Ng was going to die. After the jury decided that his evidence was not necessary, the inquiry concluded with police evidence. Inspector Carey said that despite diligent inquiries by the police, the person or persons responsible could not be located.

An open verdict was then recorded.

Vital Bridge Reported Destroyed

Naval Party Still Travelling

Canton, Oct. 7 (9 p.m.).

Forty-one Japanese bombers took part in the raids to-day. According to reports at least 60 civilians have been killed or injured.

Over 100 feet of rails were blown up between Hsiangmao and Kowloon, but repairs are being rushed.—Central News.

OLD DUMP HIT

Canton, Oct. 7.

The bombs which dropped on the Tien Ho Military Aerodrome this morning demolished an old ammunition depot. Twelve bombs fell on Whampoa where many houses were destroyed.

In the afternoon a sharp air duel occurred over Kowloon where a Japanese plane was shot down.—International News.

PLANE HIT

Canton, Oct. 7.

During the air raids to-day, one of the Japanese planes was hit by anti-aircraft guns along the Canton-Hankow Railway on the return at 1.30 p.m. The plane made a forced landing in the Wangtung River, 13 miles north of Shekai.—Reuter.

BRIDGE DESTROYED

Hankow, Oct. 7.

Railway officials state that the bridge at Kukong, 80 miles north of Canton, has been destroyed.

A message from the train, which has been christened "Capetown II," says:—"Still afloat on our course at a rough speed of 20 knots. No enemy in sight." The train left Changsha at 9.20 p.m.—Reuter.

HOIHOW BOMBED

Buildings in South of City Damaged

Hoihow, Oct. 2.

On Tuesday last a Japanese sea-plane arrived once more in Hoihow and, after scouting around for half an hour, dropped two bombs, damaging some buildings in the southern part of the city and within a hundred and fifty yards of the Socony Offices. It then flew to Kungchow city dropping two more near the North Gate but doing very little damage. In Hoihow a man was slightly injured by flying glass but no casualties were reported in Kungchow. When the plane left, it dropped some bundles and bundles of red booklets. One of the latter fell on a mat under which some people had taken cover. The booklets were entitled: "To our Friends" and consisted of ten pages with a few lines in Chinese on the top half of the page and a cartoon on the bottom half, depicting the Chinese in a desperate situation with the Japanese coming to his rescue.

Quite a number of the prominent shops in Hoihow are building bomb shelters in their shops of heavily reinforced concrete with several layers of sandbags on top. It is intended that these shelters shall also serve a useful purpose during peace times for storing money and other valuables.—Our Own Correspondent.

PAKHOI ATTACK

Japanese Raiders Fail To Damage Ports

Pakhoi, Sept. 26.

After two successive days of reconnaissance, a Japanese sea-plane, which is believed to be attached to one of the several warships that have arrived outside the harbour, yesterday afternoon released two bombs with the object of shattering the fort near Tel-kok on Koon Tai Hill. One of the warships simultaneously opened fire and shelled the fort which commanded the narrow entrance to the harbour. It was learned later that, no-one was killed or wounded. No direct hit was recorded as both the bombs and shells missed their mark.

This combined naval and air attack, needless to say, caused much consternation amongst the local people, particularly those villagers who happened to live near the fort, and who have now left their homes. Pakhoi has been plunged in total darkness for several nights. Business has been suspended since the appearance of the Japanese plane and warships. It is reliably learned that a number of native junks have been seized and destroyed by the Japanese outside the harbour. Native shipping is almost at a standstill.

It is estimated that nearly one-third of the residents have left the town during these few days. However, order is well maintained both during and after the air raid, although people are getting rather nervous with the daily threatening attacks of Japanese planes and warships.—Our Own Correspondent.

Downpour Halts Raids In Shanghai

Japanese Continue Barrage On Chinese Positions

Shanghai, Oct. 7.

Failing to drive the Chinese out of the Kiangwan area, the Japanese are now reported to be preparing for a general offensive along the Shanghai-Tsichong Highway to capture Kaiting.—Central News.

JAPANESE RETREAT

Shanghai, Oct. 7.

The Japanese entrenched at Chih Tse University were driven away yesterday. Two Japanese attempts to rush into Chapel were repulsed.

Heavy Chinese fire forced the Japanese to retire after crossing Wansuopang from the North Bank yesterday.—International News.

TORRENTIAL RAIN

Shanghai, Oct. 7 (4.10 p.m.).

With rain of almost tropical intensity precluding aerial activity, the Japanese flagship Idzumo has moved down-river from her anchorage near the Japanese Consulate to join in the concerted land and naval bombardment of the Chinese positions. Eight-inch shells are being used.

The downpour has swamped the trenches which are waist-deep in water, while the entire countryside is a quagmire.

Nevertheless, the Japanese infantry is making a determined attempt to crack the Chinese lines in the Kiangwan-Luhang sector with the intention of dividing the Chinese forces. The Chinese, however, are withstanding all attacks. Casualties are reported to be heavy on both sides.

Meanwhile, the Japanese are rushing reinforcements up to the Kiangwan-Luhang sector as fast as communications will allow. They

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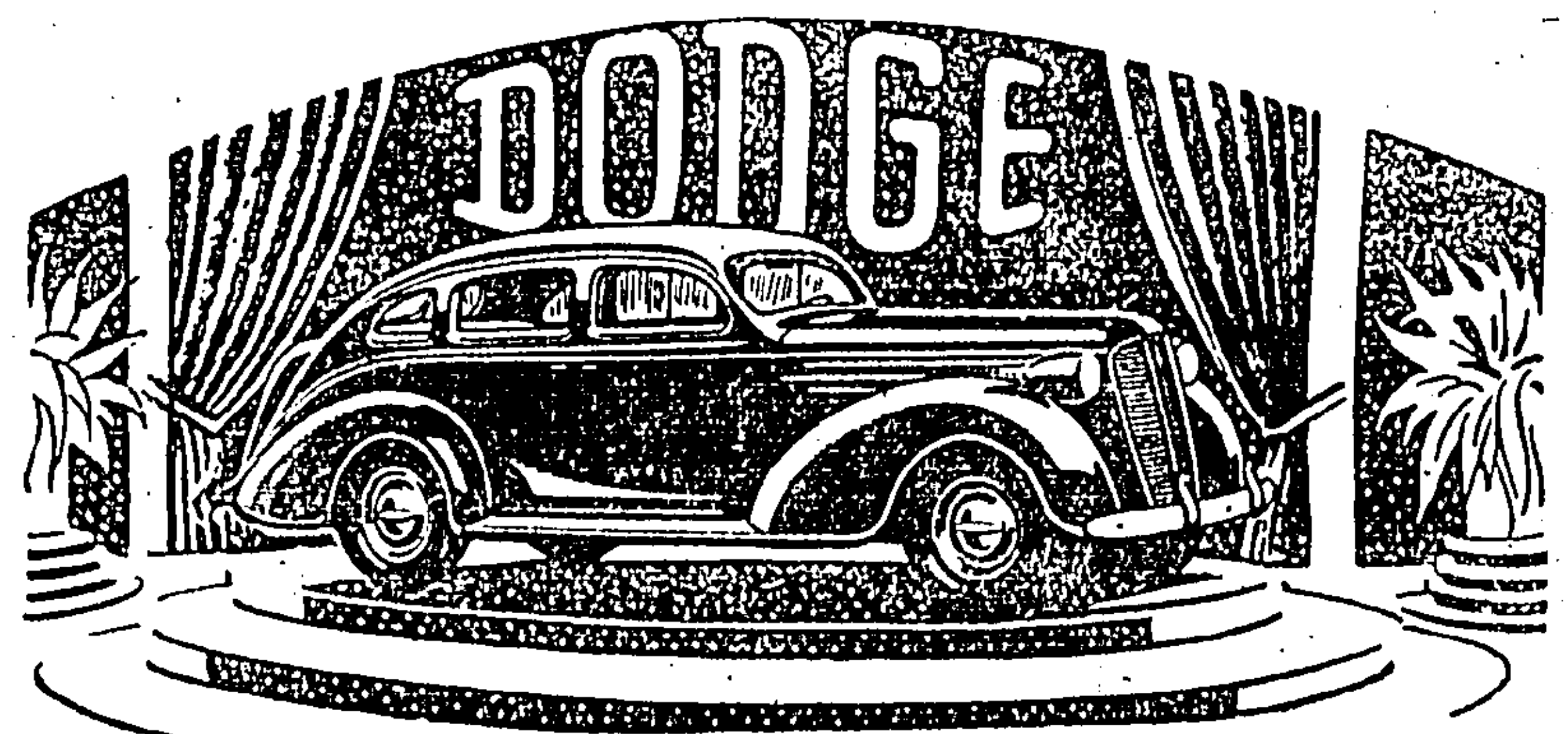
must do some hard fighting if they wish to drive the Chinese to their second line of defence by the Double Tenth (October 10).

Chinese confidence has not diminished. A high officer in Chapel told Chinese correspondents that the defenders will be able to hold their present positions for at least one year.—Reuter.

JAPANESE PLANS
Heavy concentrations are going on at the Yangtsepo district and Jukong Wharf where the Japanese are planning shortly to make an attempt to land on the Poo-tung side. It is also reported that the Japanese will attempt to seize control of Nantao, the Chinese city south of the French Concession.—Central News.

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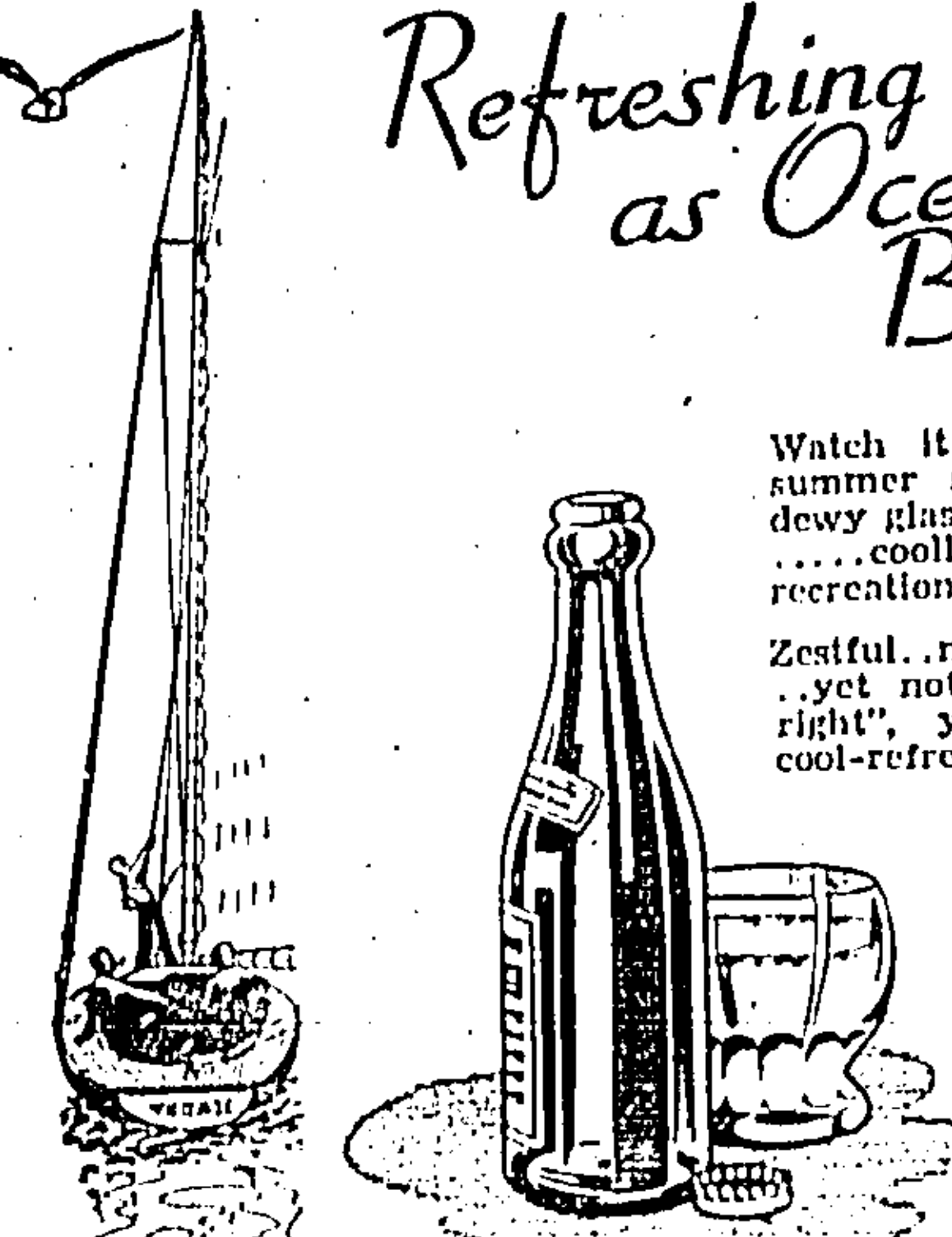
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DEATH

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to-day. No flowers by request.

The Hongkong Telegraph.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 8, 1937.

REFUGEE PROBLEM

Hongkong must look to some of the Chinese refugees fresh from the horror of the Japanese bombing attacks in Kwangtung, like an oasis to a desert traveller perishing of thirst. There is safety here; and in our charity our doors are not barred to anyone. We would be poor humans indeed who did not listen to the cry for sanctuary. And yet common-sense warns that there must be a limit to the number of fugitives we can safely absorb. In this we are not thinking of ourselves any more than of those who seek safety under our flag. Somewhere there must be a point of saturation, beyond which it would be unwise, if not dangerous, to allow the Colony's population to expand.

The obvious remedy, it must be supposed, is to estimate the number of persons of all classes we can decently house and feed; allow a reasonable margin for an emergency; then shut the doors against immigration. At the time of writing there are no figures available accurately reckoning the surplus population, so it is impossible to judge whether or not the need for action is immediate. We would be no more than guessing if we were to say it is. A check of figures of the Kowloon-Canton Railway reveals that while there is a small preponderance of in-bound passenger traffic, it is not in any way alarming. Almost as many persons are travelling in the other direction daily. Where the check is needed is on the multitude of junks and steamers which every month bring thousands of passengers to Hongkong. How many of these people remain here? Presumably there is some means of discovering. It is a fact that shipping companies bringing in refugees must see that they are put aboard the train to Canton, and we suppose that this is a measure to avoid overcrowding. But there is nothing to prevent these people coming back again. The figures from the Kowloon-Canton railway, therefore, tell us nothing. Or, at least, they tell us that possibly 2,000 persons a day are coming to this Colony from various parts of China; but do not prove it. If there is any means of discovering exactly how many persons are arriving in Hongkong by

"RADIATOR"

In London now is a man who gets 40,000 letters a day: they call him second biggest man in America.

TWO Americans who both look good in different ways are taking a change of air in London: Robert Taylor, twenty-six; and Father Charles E. Coughlin (he says it Kawglin), forty-six.

You have to know about Robert Taylor, but you are one in several thousands if you know anything about Father Coughlin. Of ten people asked only one identified him as the man who got himself ranked the second most powerful man in the United States just by talking on the radio.

Father Coughlin gets more fan mail than Mr. Taylor would get if he lived a million years. Coughlin gets 300,000 letters a week. He may not be so much to look at, but women fight just as hard to get near him as Robert Taylor.

THE New York Times estimates that his four o'clock Sunday afternoon broadcasts, when he preaches against Communism and Capitalism and a lot of other things, are listened to by 30,000,000 people. Coughlin pays £4,000 a week to forty-one radio stations for time to talk on the air.

That money comes out of the £500,000 a year sent in by his fans. One fan letter in five contains money, maybe a stamp, maybe a thousand-dollar bill.

He claims 9,000,000 followers in his National Union for Social Justice.

Why, one can't imagine. He has no glittering personality. He just hits the spot.

He kept in hiding after his arrival in England, sightseeing in London, often alone.

BUT later on he came up for a breadth of the publicity which has made him, and held a Press reception at his Knightsbridge hotel.

He looks like just another priest, middle height, plump, quiet, spectacled, knowing and complacent. He sat quietly in the corner of a sofa and talked for two and a quarter hours.

WHAT is the story of this man who has drawn countless audiences of 20,000 people at meetings, paying two shillings to eight shillings just to hear him?

He was born in Ontario in 1891, the son of an American sexton and his American wife.

Roman Catholic priests educated him, and he took a degree at Toronto University.

He spoke and played football forcefully. He danced for the last time in 1914, except for the few steps he took in the steamer coming over here with Maureen

junk and train and steamer, and how many are departing again by these mediums, we shall obviously discover where we stand, and whether the problem of overcrowding is becoming menacing.

We have ascertained definitely, however, that the influx of foreign refugees has been diminished almost to vanishing point. Probably as many are leaving as are coming in. There is no longer a real problem here. A very few are still being cared for by friends; fewer still are at the end of their resources. There are 322 persons at Lai-chikok and 80 at the old Central British School, but if any of them lack means they are charges of the British Government, not of ours. At one time there were 728 of these homeless unfortunates here.

Frankly, our problem is the Chinese refugees. Even if the Nanking Government makes itself responsible for them, there is limited accommodation. Misery and disease come with overcrowding of living quarters. And the question of food supplies and the cost of living adds just another complicating factor to the situation. We hope that the competent authority has an eye to the situation. We are in the dark, and feel there may be cause for real concern.



As Mr. Collins he arrived in England

O'Sullivan, wife of his writer friend John Farrow.

He decided to go in for the Church, was ordained in 1916, ordered to start a new parish near Detroit in 1925.

With £15,000 advanced by the Church he built a small barn-like church, the Shrine of the Little Flower, dedicated to St. Theresa, his favourite saint because she was "such a fine little girl" who devoted her life to prayer for the world. Father Coughlin is going to France this week to visit her shrine.

He lived in the twelve-foot-square sacristy of the church.

Then he had the greatest idea of his life. He decided to preach over the radio, a pretty new idea at this time.

He still had about £1,000 of his building fund in the bank, so he went to his friend Leo Fitzpatrick, of the Detroit radio station WJR, and asked for time. Fitzpatrick gave him fifty-two radio hours for the money, which only covered the costs.

He got permission from Bishop Gallagher and made his first broadcast. He got only eight fan letters in reply.

BUT things soon looked up. The old lady at whose house he took breakfast, Mrs. Catherine Bricvogel, now eighty-seven, got some twenty friends together and founded the Radio League.

Three weeks after, he says, he happened to mention the good work of the league during his Sunday talk, and there was an immediate and gratifying cash response. After two years his fan mail was in thousands. A girl, Eugenia Burke, started helping him with his letters.

Then he started reviling unemployment, mass production, and unequal distribution of wealth. Sometimes he got 1,000,000 letters a week, and money, money, money.

With the Wall-street crash came his triumph. He slated Capitalists and Communists alike, called individual business men like Mellon names like Judas Iscariot. He took just the right line in exploiting prejudices and ramming home his creed that "there is enough of everything in this country except money."



As Father Coughlin he broadcasts to thirty million Americans

WHEN Father Coughlin first went to the parish there were thirty-two families worshipping at the church of the Shrine of the Little Flower. Nowadays it seats 3,100.

It is so big that there are two pulpits—one at each end. Often there is a priest in each—one "the Devil's Advocate," the other the Christian. "The Christian always wins the argument in the last quarter of an hour," smiled Father Coughlin.

Sometimes Father Coughlin's weekly broadcast raises such a furor of controversy, brings in such a flood of letters, that he deliberately chooses a less exciting and less popular topic for his next address so that the staff can keep pace with the mail.

WHAT is the secret of his success?

Well, there is a great audience for any man who thinks you should be paid whether you work or not.

Should a man, he asks, be paid only while he works or should he be paid a living wage?

"I do not like the idea of women going out to work," he says. "A woman's place is in the home. Every husband should be paid enough to support his wife and a minimum of three children in frugal comfort and in his own home."

"A man must have his own home. Flat life is artificial. It does not help husband and wife to maintain their love for one another. It's a breeder of discontent. Without children husband and wife soon lose love for one another. In your days of money myself. The congregation bought my car. It's a love her most sincerely. But after five or six years you take her for granted. She takes her husband for granted."

"But your love for your child never cools. Your child may become a scapegoat but you still love your child, always."

"That is the basis of patriotism. That is why men fight. They fight for home, family, children, parents, for the hills they remember round their birthplace. No Government is worth fighting for...."

In those words Father Coughlin, who protests he is no politician, never will be a politician, and only mentions politics when they interlock with religion, gives the secret of his success.

BESIDES, Father Coughlin is a shrewd and careful man. While he talked to reporters an attractive blonde with a big notebook wrote everything down in shorthand.

"I always arrange that," says Father Coughlin. "Er, you see I have been misreported so often in America."

HOW does he live himself?

He gets up at 6 a.m. (after going to bed at one), conducts Mass at seven, takes a glass of orange juice for breakfast.

He works all the morning, dividing his attention between his newspaper, which has an editorial staff of twenty (and which loses £40,000 a year), the accounting department, which also has a staff of twenty, and the various other departments of his offices, which have a staff of 150, and are largely run by his private secretaries, four girls who have been with him nine years. He pays top rates to all his employees.

FATHER COUGHLIN, beaming from the soft cushions of his settee in the Hyde Park Hotel, his fresh, plump face tanned by his trip aboard the Empress of Britain, talked about his personal expenditure.

"I have my keep, my meals and laundry, along with the other eight priests at the Shrine of the Little Flower," he said. "That costs £3 to £4 a week—certainly not more."

"I have my pocket money—about a pound a week for cigarettes, petrol and a visit to the cinema or theatre. I have no bank account—never have had. I refuse to handle any of the money myself. The congregation bought my car. It's a love her most sincerely. But after five or six years you take her for granted. She takes her husband for granted."

"When I left on holiday I was given my ticket and £80 to spend. Not a lot in nine years, eh?"

Father Coughlin is pleased at the thought of getting along so well on so little money.

He says that no man was ever more astonished at his success.

"I'm no radio star, never pretended to be. I prefer speaking in church, without the radio. There you have the advantage of gestures. On the radio you have to dramatise your sermons. You have to use different voices."

He explained how Charles Penman, a young radio engineer, regulates all his broadcasts, sits in church while Father Coughlin talks from the pulpit or carries his travelling microphone among the children, watching for a signal to tune his voice into an invisible crescendo, for a flick of the finger that means "Fade me out to a whisper."

Bishop Says 'More Women Than Men Means Trouble'

WAR UPSET, MAY RESTORE, THE BALANCE

Women were held to be responsible—either directly or indirectly—for present-day sex problems by Dr. Barnes, Bishop of Birmingham, a recent Conference of Modern Churchmen at Girton College, Cambridge.

Why? Because there are more women than men. What is the effect of that? Immorality, according to Dr. Barnes. Why? Because of the inequality between men and women, an inequality due to destruction of men in the war.

Providence, said Dr. Barnes, so disposes it that an equal number of girl and boy babies are born. Destroy that equality and you must expect sex difficulties. You must get rid of such wars as in the balance of the sexes.

WOMEN MIGHT GO TO THE TRENCHES

"It is possible, too, now that the old lady has learned to drive a motor-car, that it will be found that she can be put in the trenches instead of the young men."

"When word comes by radio that the enemy is going over the top the hot water bottle and air-cushion, will advance, adjust her spectacles to the periscope, and, at the appropriate moment, touch a button which will fire a battery of machine-guns in her charge. The enemy will be repulsed."

"If we have a development of that kind then war may not lead to disorderly sex morality."

But Dr. Barnes added that he was not saying that he advocated even such a modified type of war.

Flying By Sun, Moon And Stars

Britain's civil air pilots, especially those who may in future be concerned with operating the Transatlantic service, are eagerly awaiting the publication this month of a series of astronomical tables—the first attempt ever made, it is believed, to apply the technique of sea navigation by the sun and stars to the requirements of flying.

The tables, which are being published by the Air Ministry, have been prepared by the Nautical Almanac Office under the direction of the Astronomer Royal. They mark the first stage in a task of sky-guiding which is expected to take three years to complete, says the Daily Mail.

Up to the present the two principal methods of air navigation have been: "Dead reckoning"—the determination of an aircraft's position by means of the compass; and the use of radio direction signals.

Both methods have been found to be not always adequate, especially on long-distance flights. "Dead reckoning" seldom gives accurate results, while wireless direction-finding signals are limited in range.

SIMPLE SYSTEM

For years it has been realised that "true navigation" by the sun and the stars would be distinctly preferable to both these methods, but so far it has been little used—chiefly because of the difficult calculations it involves.

The basis of the system is that a single observation of the height of any heavenly body above the horizon can be used by the navigator to obtain a straight line along which his present position must lie.

Two observations—on two different heavenly bodies at the same time, or on the same body at an interval of two hours or more—will therefore give the point at which the machine must be.

The simplification of the calculations necessary will be a boon to individual pilots and a work of supreme importance to the safety of aviation as a whole.

The new tables, to be issued this month, are based on the positions of the sun, moon, four planets, and about 50 selected stars.

Published in tear-off form, they will contain the necessary sheets for the last three months of this year, and with their help it is believed that any pilot will, with very little difficulty, be able to discover his position to within 5 or 10 miles.

THE AWFUL TOLL OF WAR



MOONLIGHT WALK MURDER SOLVED: BLONDE AS LURE

Chicago, Sept. 9.

POLICE announced to-day that the murder of Robert Lee as he sat in the park in the moonlight with blonde night club singer Lucille Buehler had been solved in every detail.

Scores of lovely models, dancers, and other girls questioned by the police have revealed yet another crime racket.

It is alleged that Buehler lured Lee to a certain beach. A few minutes later her friend Leonard Doxey, with Tony Sappenzio and Albert Minella, came up, tried to get Lee's wallet.

Lee struggled and was shot—by Sappenzio, say the two others in their confessions to the police.

All three are under arrest, but the district attorney is out to get Buehler indicted too—on the capital charge.

Lieutenant Thomas Kelly, in charge of the investigations, says—

"More than thirty pretty girls have been used as lures during the past few months by racketeers. The girls, who mostly worked in night clubs, took men out for a stroll to a prearranged spot, then contacted their crooked boy friends."

"TEMPERAMENTAL" R.A.F. OFFICER DOCTORS DISAGREE ON DRINK QUESTION ARREST AFTER CAR BREAKDOWN

Sqdrn.-Ldr. John Woodburn Gillan, 30, of No. 601 Squadron, R.A.F., Hendon, elected to go for trial when he was charged at Marylebone recently with being under the influence of drink while in charge of a car. There was a conflict of medical evidence, says the Daily Telegraph.

He was arrested at 5.30 a.m. in Daventry Street, W., where his car had broken down.

Dr. Alexander Balldie, divisional surgeon, giving evidence of the officer's condition, said he was irascible, confused, at times facetious, and occasionally lapsed into drowsiness.

He had had an aeroplane crash six weeks before, and was injured in the legs. Such a crash would render him susceptible to the effects of alcohol. The doctor considered that he was under the influence of drink.

Sqdrn.-Ldr. Gillan, who denied the charge, called Dr. J. Hugh Williams, an auxiliary medical officer in the Air Force, in his defence.

ABLE TO STAND ON ONE LEG

Dr. Williams said that he attended the accused after his plane crash at Hendon, and knew his medical history. He was very temperamental.

He examined him at the police station, added Dr. Williams. "He was in a violent temper, and was stamping up and down the place."

"His pulse, owing to his anger, was 90, but his speech was quite normal, and he was able to stand steadily on one leg with hands outstretched and eyes closed. I came to the conclusion that he was not under the influence of drink."

Cross-examined, Dr. Williams said that a few hours before Sqdrn.-Ldr. Gillan's arrest he had dined with him and other officers. He was quite sober then.

Mr. Bushell, defending, submitted that in view of the conflict in medical evidence, there was no case for the jury. As stated, the accused was committed for trial.

Soldier Twins Keep Sergeant Guessing

"Uniforms are often masks..." said Wellington. WHAT the sergeant said when confronted on the Royal Fusiliers' barrack square at Hounslow with the grinning twins, Privates Henry and James Worsford—more alike than ever in brand-new uniforms—is less quotable.

Henry and James, 17 years old, inseparable, joined the Army a few days ago, but, to all intents and purposes, the world will see only one Private Worsford.

For they are so much alike that a sergeant who gave one Worsford fatigues for being late on parade would be none the wiser when the other did the punishment.

With their 11 brothers and sisters, they lived until a few days ago at Goldsmith Road, Peckham, S.E. Then they decided that they would like to join the Army under the new "six-months trial" scheme, says the Daily Mail.

"This is a grand life," said Pte. Henry—or was it James—"and although we have only been in the army a few days we intend to rejoin after our six months' trial period is up, and we hope to do 21 years together in this regiment."

One wonders what the sergeant thinks. Twenty-one years of a duplicate Private Worsford, must be a very long time.

Other men in the squad have discovered one difference in the twins which gives James away.

"We have never been parted since we were born," said James—he picked up an object automatically with his left hand, so he was known.

Alcoholism Has Become Grave Menace

New York. AFTER studying 50,000 alcoholic cases in Boston City Hospital, two Harvard research men have concluded that alcoholism is increasing and has become a "grave menace."

It is reported that the annual deaths from alcoholism have more than doubled since Prohibition was repealed, and deaths continue to increase at a pace disproportionate to the rate of alcoholic admissions.

The investigators suggested that alcoholism must be treated as a disease, which is increasing because "people to-day are possibly not built to stand the type of life they are having to live, and the excessive strain causes something to go wrong with the human nervous system and mind."

According to the investigators, deep underlying psychological urges appear to be chiefly responsible for turning moderate drinkers into alcoholics.

Bombs, shells and bullets rained on and around this lorry near Shanghai and all the Chinese soldiers it was conveying to the front were killed. Here is one of the most dramatic pictures that has come out of the undeclared war between Japan and China. Machine-gun bullet and shrapnel holes may be seen in the truck, which was caught in a cross-fire. Bodies are helter-skelter.

KING'S INDIA VISIT

"Likely In Winter Of 1938-39"

The Morning Post's political correspondent understands that the King and Queen will visit India in the winter of 1938-39, which would necessitate their leaving England towards the end of next year.

An official spokesman says that the situation has not developed beyond the recent statement in the Legislative Assembly, in which it was stated that the latter was subject to His Majesty's pleasure.

Reuter learns that His Majesty is earnestly considering the Durbar date, and an announcement of this may not be long delayed. No definite decision has yet been taken.

A spokesman points out that the many estimates of the cost of the Royal visit, which are obviously built upon the 1911-12 figures are very wide of the mark. It is emphasised that a large advisory committee was appointed in 1911-12 is not necessary, because all data are available, and also the present Delhi is vastly different from what it was a quarter of a century ago. Many costly appurtenances which were then necessary will now not be required.

Kiss Delivered By Wire

New York officials are considering whether Postal Telegraph Company members should deliver kisses.

The question arose because two friends of Mr. Kautman Katz asked that a kiss be delivered to Mr. Katz on holiday at Atlantic City.

Messenger James McGuigan, aged 17, was given the unusual assignment, and when Mr. Katz came to the door he took a deep breath—and kissed him.

Mr. Katz said: "Hey, What the—?" The messenger explained, and Mr. Katz then tipped him.

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A Talk from the Studio By Professor Forster

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12.00-12.20 p.m. Relay of Special Service from St. John's Cathedral.

12.30 Ambrose and His Orchestra

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1.00 Time and Weather.

1.03 Irish Music.

1.21 Carroll Gibbons (Piano) and His Boy Friends.

1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press; Weather and Announcements.

1.40 Songs by Paul Robeson (Bass).

1.53 Hawaiian Music.

2.15 Close Down.

4-7 p.m. Chinese Programme.

7.00 Latest Dante Records.

Slow Fox-Trot—Goodnight My Lucky Day (film "24 1/2 Hours' Leave")

The Mood That I'm In...Carroll Gibbons and the Savoy Hotel Orchestra; Fox-Trot—I Saw A Ship.

A-Sailing; Waltz—The Greatest Mistake Of My Life...Henry Jacques with His Correct Dance Tempo Orchestra; Fox-Trot—Love Is Good For Anything That Ails You (film "The Hit Parade"); A Sailboat In The Moonlight...Orlando and His Orchestra; Fox-Trot—My Honey's Lovin' Arms; Quick Step—Avalon...Val Rosing and His Swing Stars; Fox-Trot—A Little Love, A Little Kiss; Body And Soul...Quintette Of The Hot Club Of France.

7.30 Stock Quotations and Hongkong Exchange Market Report.

7.35 Variety.

Humorous—Christmas Day In The Cook House...Billy Bennett; Please Let Me Sleep On Your Doorstep Tonight...Billy Bennett and His Kerstone Quartette; Vocal—Sweet Heartache (film "Hit Parade"); Where Is The Sun? (Redmond and David)...

Les Allen; Humorous—Trailing Around In A Trailer; Said The Little Brown Hen (Gifford and Cliff)...

George Formby and His Ukulele; Piano W. Orchestra—I Was Anything But Sentimental (film "Take My Tip"); To-morrow Is Another Day (film "A Day at the Races")...Carroll Gibbons and His Boy Friends.

8.00 Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.03 Studio—Muriel Portallion (Contralto) accompanied by Clair Shand.

1. Come Take Thy Lute...Michael Head; 2. A Prayer to our Lady...Donald Ford; 3. Now Sleeps the Crimson Petal...Quitter; 4. Songs My Mother Taught Me...Dvorak; 5. To Music...Schubert.

8.20 Orchestral.

Redemption (Cesar Franck)...

The Lamoureux Orchestra, Paris conductor: Albert Wolff.

8.30 Studio—Piano Recital by Marcello Hrovatin Chopin.

1. Valse; 2. Nocturne—Posthumous; 3. Two Mazurkas; 4. Polonaise Op. 53.

8.50 Studio—A talk by Professor Forster on "Lunch With The Generalissimo and Madame Chiang Kai-shek."

9.10 Rimsky-Korsakov Compositions.

Capriccio Espagnol, Op. 34...The Lamoureux Orchestra of Paris; conducted by Albert Wolff; The Golden Cockerell (The Wedding March)...

The Lamoureux Orchestra of Paris; conducted by Albert Wolff; Sadko—Chanson Hindoue...Marcel Mule (Saxophone).

9.30 London Relay—The News and Announcements.

9.50 Tchaikovsky Concerto In D Major, Op. 35.

Played by Heifetz (Violin) and The London Philharmonic Orchestra conducted by John Barbirolli.

10.23 Backhaus (Piano).

Waltz In D Flat, Op. 64, No. 1; Etude In C Major Op. 10, No. 7 (Chopin); Waldesrauschen (Liszt).

10.32 Light Variety.

Orchestral—Souvenir De Paoli-lippe (Godfrey Andolf); A Frangese! (Mario Costa)...

Orchestra Napoletana; Vocal—Love Song (Beccia-Knorr); All I Do Is For Love Of You (Fenyes-Gels)...

Herbert E. Grah Melodien (Polack)...

Edith Lorand and Her Viennese Orchestra; Vocal—L'Hotel Du Clair De Lune (Simonet and Gerard); Le Tango Des Filles (Deleite and Bayle)...

Ludenne Boyer; Orchestra—Za Zoo Za (Shay-Holzer-Shoup-Large)...

Herbie Kay and His Orchestra.

11.00 Close Down.

DAVENTRY PROGRAMMES

7.20 a.m. "Cards on the Table."

7.40 a.m. Recital by Ralph Goodacre (Contralto).

8 a.m. "A Hundred Years Ago."

8.50 a.m. The News and Announcements.

Greenwich Time Signal at 8.45 a.m.

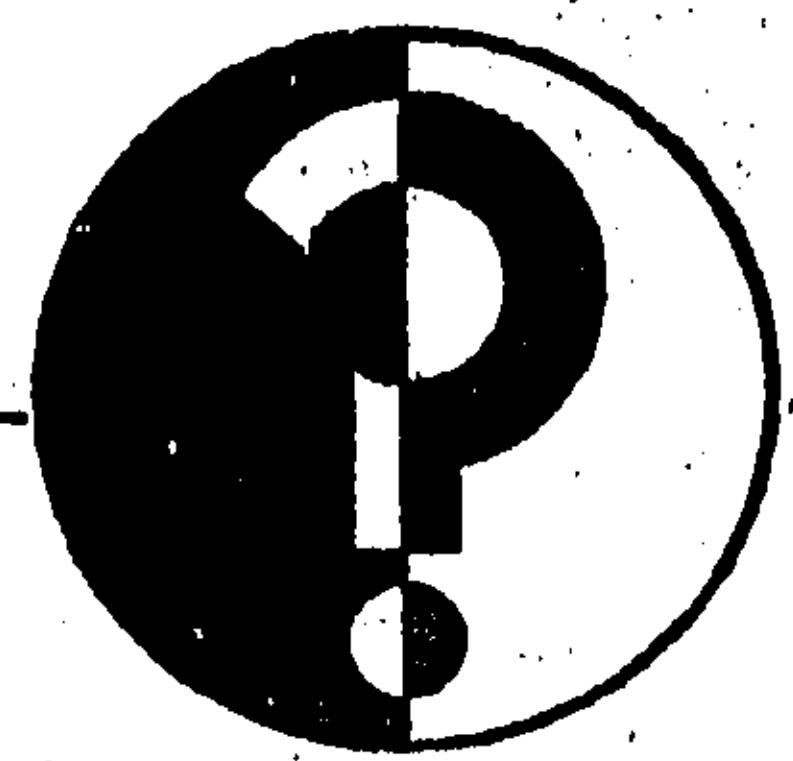
9 a.m. Big Ben. "At the Black Dog."

10 a.m. Big Ben. Alleyne and Leohardt.

In a Recital of Music for Two Pianos.

10.20 a.m. "This Week."

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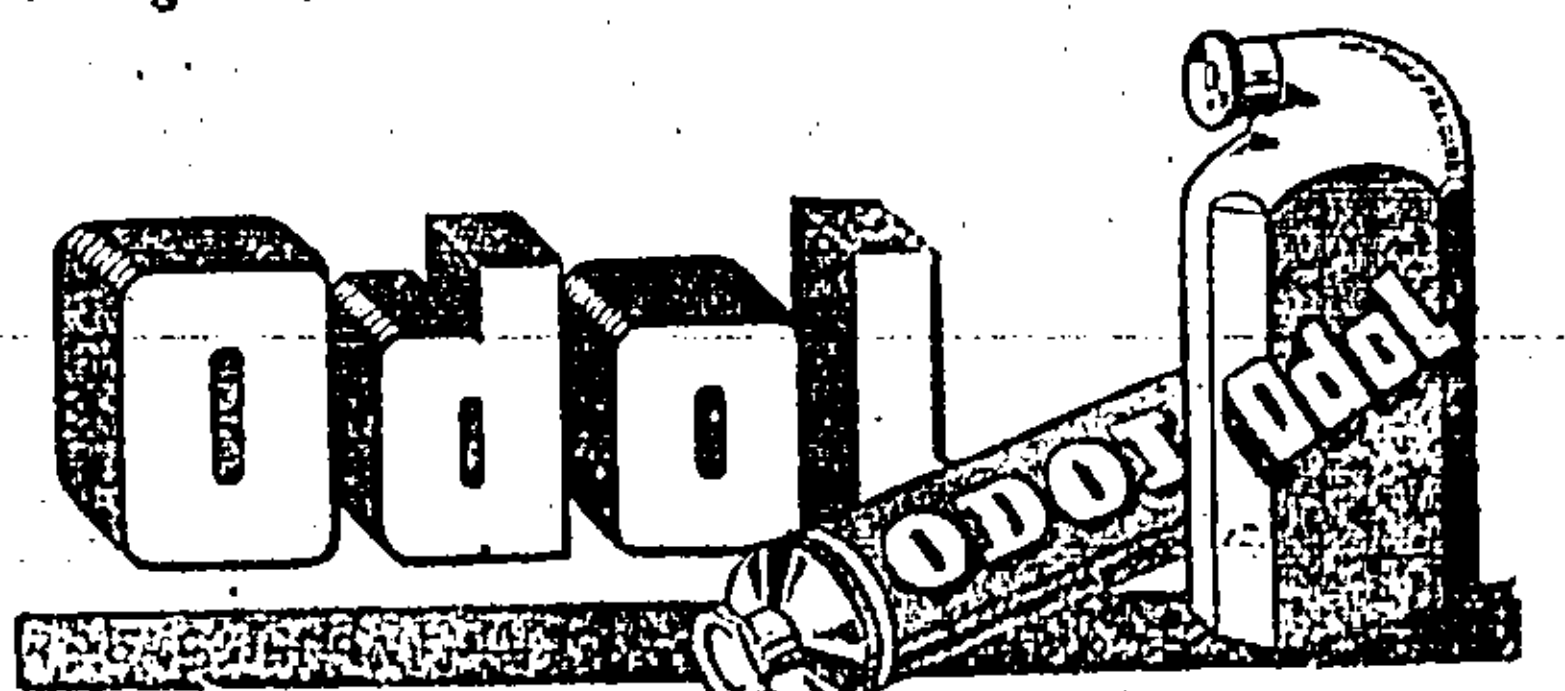
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TWO-DAY RACE MEET FOR THE WEEK-END

LIBERTY BAY NOT TO TAKE PART IN PRINCIPAL EVENT

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GOOD RESPONSE TO SWEEP SALES

The Eighth Extra Race Meeting, better known among the racing fraternity as the "Double Tenth Meeting", will be held to-morrow and on Monday. The first odding-bell on each day will be rung at 1.30 p.m. sharp. Being a two-day affair, the cost of a through each-sweep



P. P. Botelho still on the injured list.

ticket is \$10, and I understand that very good response has been received.

The major race, the October Handicap for China ponies, and seven other handicap events feature the programme of the first day's racing and, judging by the allotment of the avoirdupois by the official handicapper, it looks as if we are going to have a good day's sport with a lot of thrills.

It is learned that Mr. L. P. Ralph will be seen in the saddle but Mr. P. P. Botelho is still on the injured list.

Jordan Handicap

Senior Jockeys For First Section

The Jordan Handicap for "D" class China ponies has attracted 30 nominations, but the entries have been sub-divided in two divisions at the discretion of the handicapper and he has assigned 15 to the first section. At the last meeting the "D" riders were ridden by novices, but to-morrow the senior jockeys will be on top. I expect to see a big field, but it is not easy to pick the winner. Laughing Girl, who went well in the Junk Bay Handicap, is not included in the list of entries, but the mare has been entered for the Hunan Handicap to be run on Monday, and she is worth the investment of \$5 each way. I like Plain View after his running in the Junk Bay Handicap when he finished second to Diogenes and my next fancy is Sylvandale with Mr. Pih up.

DONALD BLACK RETURNS Riding In Opening Event

The absence of Mr. Donald Black was much felt at the last meeting, but his appearance to-morrow on Commencement Bay in the opening event, the Coronation Handicap over a mile, should receive some support in the pari-mutuel, for this grey gelding of Mr. L. Dunbar has to carry only 140 lbs. After the brilliant performance in the Island Bay Handicap (First Section) run on September 25, Mr. B. Proulx has again been asked to pilot King's Coronation in this race and the mare has only 153 lbs. to shoulder. It might not be known that last Saturday morning King's Coronation was given a try-out with her stable companion, King's Warden, and the mare came out with flying colours in the test. King's Warden (Russian boy) was sent over the champion course, but King's Coronation (Mr. Proulx) joined the champion pony at the mile beacon. The mile was run in 2.10.4/5, coming home in 29.4/5 seconds, and the last half-mile was covered in 1.01.1/5. Rounding the turn into the straight, it appeared as if King's Coronation could not keep the pace, but after the mile staff, the two steeds increased their speed and the finish of King's Coronation was much discussed after the trial. On her successful running at the last meeting, coupled with the wonderful feat in the try-out, I cannot see how she can fail to-morrow.

Of course the opposition will come from Ouse and Scenic View, both being in concert with the former having appeared once in public on May 17 when Sir Vandeleur Grayburn's black stallion ran into a third place behind Scenic View and Apilis in the Beaufort Plate, but to-morrow he is the stable "Why's" representative, and it is to be hoped that the change of colours will bring good luck. His gallop of last Saturday, covering the mile in 2.10.2/5 with a strong finish, must be considered and Ouse will be ridden by Mr. Pih.

FIRST LEG OF THE DOUBLE Red Feather Sure To Be Prominent

The first leg of the daily double is on the Nathan Handicap for "B" class China ponies over one and a quarter miles. Mention was made in my last racing notes about the poor display of certain "B" riders in the "Twice Island Bay Handicap" and, judging by the morning works at the Valley, it looks to me that we shall see a better race to-morrow among this bunch. Expansion Time is taking a rest, but Red Feather is in with only 140 lbs. to carry. I am not recommending Red Feather as an outsider, but I would like readers of the Telegraph to bear in mind that Mrs. Dunbar's gift of this season gave Potentate a good thrashing in the Black Rock Stakes and also to Rosemary in the American Club Cup, both successes being on level terms at the Annual Carnival. We are all aware that some ponies come late to form, but nevertheless Red Feather has a pull of 12 lbs. to-morrow against Potentate and if the former can reproduce his form of the big meeting, Red Feather surely must have some say in the matter. New Star is looking well and so is Havoc Eve.

"Capt. Foster" Reviews The Prospects

MAIN EVENT OF DAY Liberty Bay Not Running

Liberty Bay has not been entered for the main event, the October Handicap for China ponies over the champion course, but it is reliably learned that this bay gelding of Mr. L. Dunbar is quite sound and the owner is reserving the undefeated champion for the 1938 Annual Meeting. In his absence, the connections have Bear Claw, Diana Bay and Wild Life to represent them, but I have very good reason to doubt that Bear Claw will accept. He has been called upon to concede seven pounds to Dynasty's King's Warden over one and a quarter miles whereas in the Double Tenth Plate to be contested on Monday, the run is a sprint from the 1/2 mile post and Bear Claw jumps into action faster than King's Warden. Both will have to tip the scale at 161 lbs. on the basis of weight for inches and the first prize in both events is \$750 each. While on the subject, I think that King's Warden will not start in the Double Tenth Plate. It is safe to assume that Mr. Dunbar is relying upon Wild Life to do the trick for the mare had the satisfaction of trouncing King's Warden in the May Handicap run at the Whitsun meeting. At that time King's Warden was giving a stone to Wild Life, but to-morrow the difference of weights between these two racers is only 7 lbs. and it is pretty hard to say at this juncture which any degree of certainty which animal is in better condition. I have not much information to pass about Happy Eve, the winner of this year's Hongkong Derby, but she must not be under-estimated, for the training of this stable is entirely different from others. However, Happy Eve was second to Bear Claw in the Easter Stakes when they both surprised King's Warden. Diana Bay is nicely weighted and should be respected. Cossack's Beauty is in fine fettle and has been kindly treated, and so is Soldier of Britain with the lowest limit. I figure that Bear Claw will be reserved for the Double Tenth Plate and I therefore nominate King's Warden to win the October Handicap.

STRATHROY GIVEN A HANDFUL

Liberal Allowance To Rivals

One can hardly believe that Able Amazon, the winner of many classics to her credit, has been allotted the lowest impost in the Canberra Handicap for Australian "A" cobs over a distance from the two mile post, once round and in, and the mighty Strathroy holds the post of honour with the limit load of 105 lbs. The difference of 30 lbs. will not only give the latter something to think about but it will force Strathroy to keep a sharp look-out on Electron, Gypsy Love, Home Brew and Lancashire Chips, all of whom have been given liberal allowances. Able Amazon ran a good race to come in third at the last meeting, but being a sprint, it was not possible to gauge whether the mare had staged a comeback. When they met in the Coronation Handicap on May 13, Strathroy, who captured the Coronation Cup, was giving a stone and a half to Lancashire Chips and Gypsy Love, but at that time Mr. Macgregor's apricot had a clean bill of health while Lancashire Chips and Gypsy Love had had too much racing. At any rate, Strathroy did not have a good summer owing to skin trouble and he started to work late. I am inclined to believe that he is short of a gallop and this may discount his chance. The best race of the afternoon will be seen here.

Home Football Result

London, Oct. 7. Playing in the Southern Section of the Third Division of the English Football League, Notts County, at home, defeated Mansfield by two goals to nil to-day.—*Reuter*.

Lawn Bowls

K.C.C. TO ENTERTAIN K.B.C.C.

Kowloon Cricket Club lawn bowlers are reminded that the return match with the Kowloon Bowling Green Club will be played on Monday afternoon next, beginning at 2.30.

Half a dozen rinks will be played, and all K.C.C. members are invited to participate.

The first of these friendly matches was a big success and it is hoped the return will be equally as successful.

KING'S PARADE BACK TO "D"

Little Chance Of Winning Event

With the exception of a few old runners such as King's Parade, Mountain View, 17th of September and Stopwatch, the weight controller has assigned 11 sub-griffins of this season to the second section of the Jordan Handicap for "D" class and the jaunt is from the two mile post, once round and in. King's Parade has come back to join his old brigade after winning an "E" class event, but I am afraid he is not in the last meeting, but I am afraid he will find the sub-griffins of this season too strong. The inclusion of 17th of September and Stopwatch in this division has presented a fascinating problem, but the former is "going dotty" and Stopwatch is the real danger. Mountain View's last outing at the Portuguese colony was a complete failure, but the Valley Handicapper has ignored the performance and Mountain View has to carry 168 lbs. He was, however, second to Shipmaster in the Shatin Handicap (second section) run during the Coronation week but he has now to concede only seven pounds to Shipmaster, and has a sporting chance to turn the tables. Shipmaster will have his usual jockey, Mr. Black, instead of Mr. S. C. Liang, while Mr. Deitz will have the same mount on Tempest. My fancy is Tempest.

SECOND LEG OF DAILY DOUBLE

Only Half A Dozen Entries

The Katoomba Handicap for "C" class Australian ponies has been selected as the second leg of the daily double event, but very poor response has been received in the way of entries, there being only seven entrants. It would have been much nicer if the previous race had been substituted, for punters prefer to have a long bill of fare than a short list as the former will undoubtedly encourage more speculators. However, the run in the last "C" event was a short sprint, but to-morrow the contest is over a mile. Discovery Bay makes her first appearance among this section and I see no reason why she should not present her card to the judges. This mare was at one time much fancied for the big classic, but as luck would have it, she finished among the "also rans" and has, to date, a sequence of unplaced outings. Her last one was in the Cabramatta Handicap run on May 29 when she slipped and unseated her jockey, Mr. Gregory. Discovery Bay is a sister to Rocky, the sire being Fernkloof, and these two cobs should be set up at the finish. As a miller, Twilight Star has proved his capability and is worth \$5 each way. Brutus has been handicapped more or less according to his win in the Gosford Handicap, but he will have to be all out to resist the challenge of Discovery Bay, Rooty and Twilight Star. As an outsider, Beat That is recommended.

Last Race Should Go To King's Lead

In the last event, the Austin Handicap for "C" class China ponies, which will be ridden by novices, King's Lead, who was recently demoted from "B" standard, should have no difficulty in registering the first win of the season for Mr. Pearce, and Rob Roy and Beant Bay should fill the minor places.

MAMAK TOURNAMENT RESUMPTION ARRANGED FOR THE END OF OCTOBER

GREAT INTEREST STILL BEING MAINTAINED

(By "The Pilgrim")

With the formation of the United Hockey Tournament towards the end of last season, most clubs seemed doubtful as to whether the Mamak Tournament would function this year. I am sure all clubs are pleased that this, the oldest and most popular tournament open to all clubs in the Colony, will definitely function and will commence the 1937-38 season on or about October 20.

Great interest is being maintained in the Tournament. This is shown by the number of entries which have been received this season. So far 15 teams have joined; they are as follows:—Royal Corps of Signals, Seaforths H.Q. Wing, Seaforths "A" Coy., Seaforths "B" Coy., Seaforths "C" Coy., Seaforths "S" Coy., R.A.O.C. 6th Section, Hongkong Mule Corps, Police Indians, H.M.S. Tararua, Rajputs 5/6 H. Q. Wing, Rajputs 5/6 "B" Coy., Panthers (Submarine), Nomads and the Radio Sports Club, last year's champions.

Four Navy teams are anxious to participate. This question will be decided at the next meeting to be held on October 13. If they are included, the total number of teams will be 19.

THE COMMITTEE Under the able guidance of Capt. G. W. P. Kimm, who is again Chairman this season, there is no reason why the Tournament should not be a successful one. The Committee consists of:—President—Rev. J. R. Higgs. Vice-Presidents—Lieut. Commr. Bowerman and Capt. Stapleton. Hon. Secretary—Mr. G. E. Clarke. Asst. Hon. Secretary—Mr. A. F. Austen.

The Naval and Civilian representatives will be chosen at the next meeting.

Three Civilian teams which took part last season, the Kowloon Indian T.C., Argonauts and Central British Association, have joined the United

NOTES OF CURRENT INTEREST

(By "The Pilgrim")

There is a rumour about town that the Shanghai ladies now in Hongkong will probably field a team in the Crier Clark Cup League this season. It will be a wise move if the H.K. Ladies' Hockey Association allow them to do so. Otherwise these Shanghai ladies might play for different clubs in the competition which, I should imagine would not be quite fair. I rather think that Hongkong players should have first preference as far as their own teams are concerned. It is a rather complicated problem and I hope the ladies will discuss it.

I notice that at the meeting of the Ladies' Hockey Association held yesterday it was decided that the Shanghai lady players now in the Colony should take part in friendly matches only in view of the fact that they may return to the North at any moment. It is felt that it would not be fair to other teams in the local competitions if the visitors, after doing well, say, for two months, were suddenly to go back to Shanghai. It would be equally unfair if the visitors were to join the various teams participating in the local competitions, but I am sure Hongkong sides would be only too pleased to arrange matches with the visitors or to include them in their teams for the friendly games. Shanghai ladies are assured that they will get as much hockey in the Colony as they wish while they are with us. The decision reached is (Continued on Page 9.)

St. Andrew's Church Hall, top floor, on Wednesday, October 13, at 8 p.m. It is most important that at least one representative from each team should attend. The fixture list for the 1937-38 season will be made.

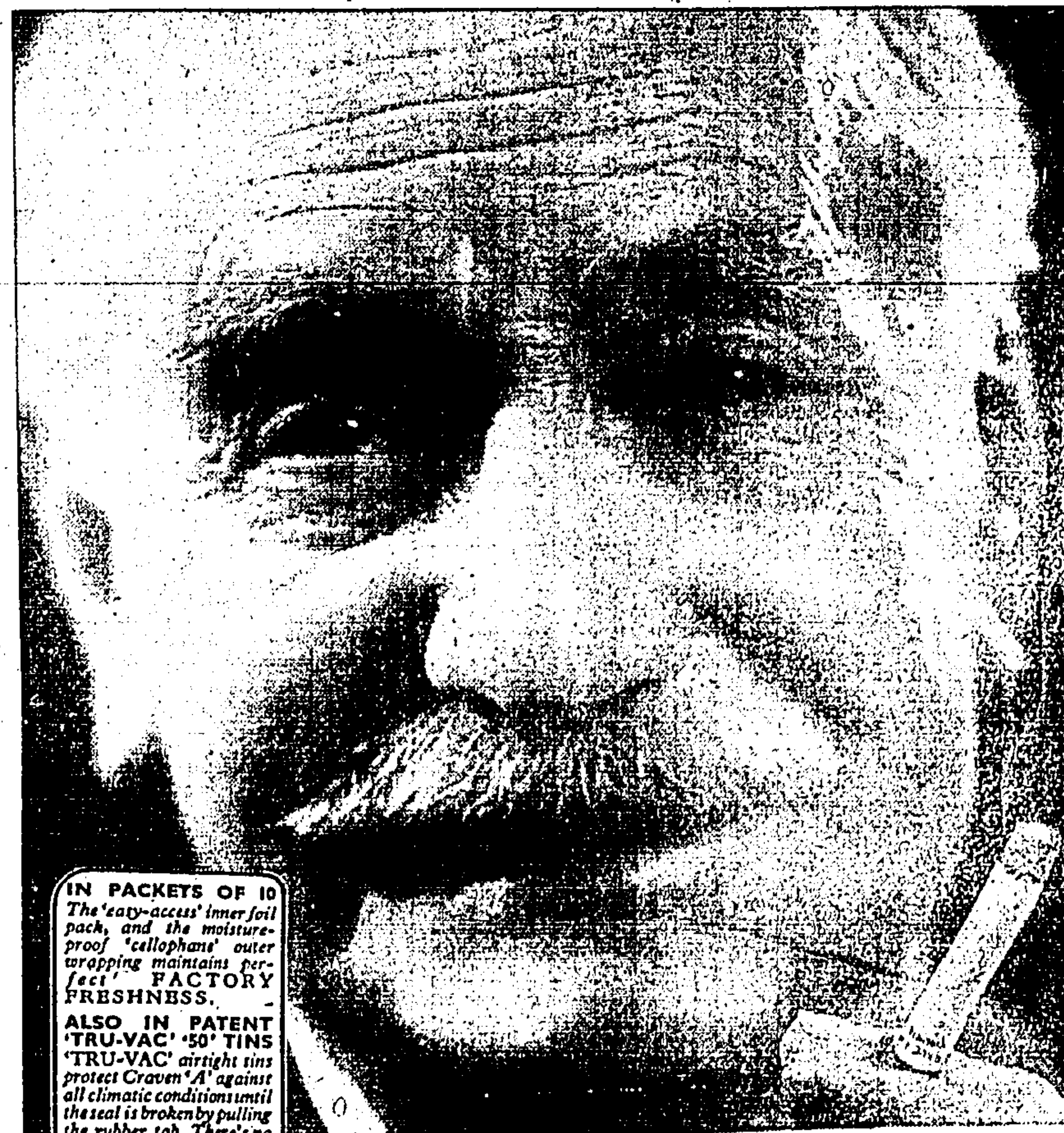


K. Hussain, the new Hon. Secretary of the Hockey Umpires' Board.

Tournament. The Royal Engineers have done the same.

TWO SECTIONS The Tournament will probably be drawn up into two sections and from what I know of the teams, some very good games will be witnessed this season. The Rajputana Rifles, Seaforths and Panthers are new to the Tournament. The last-named are a Submarine team formed by Lieut. Donald, the well-known right-winger and Colony Interporter.

Secretaries are reminded that there will be a General Meeting at



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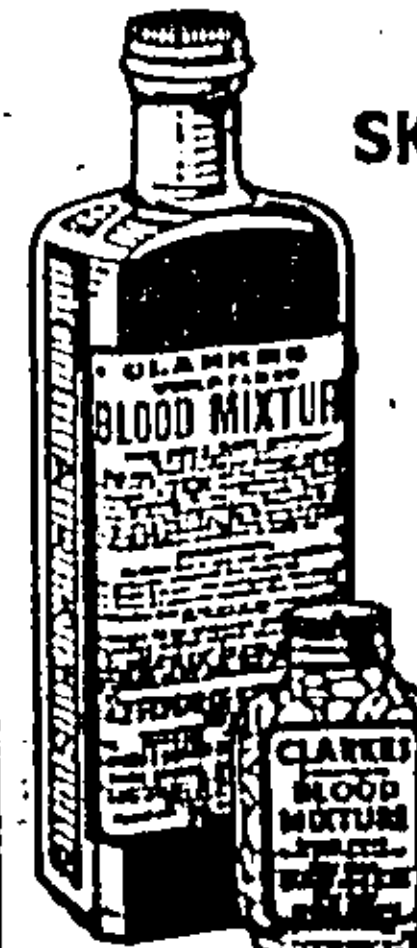
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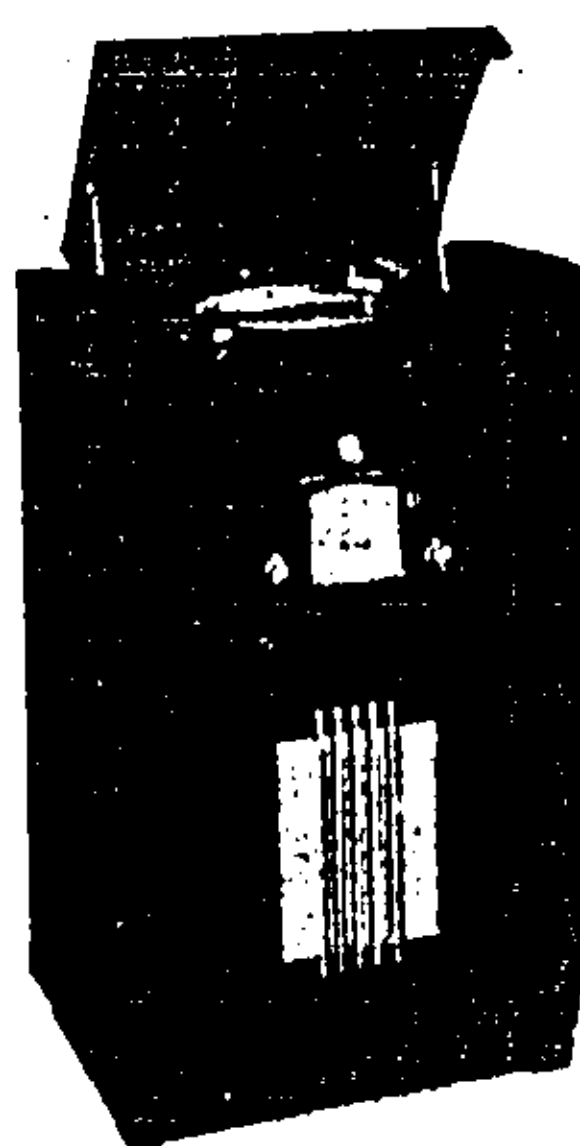
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SUNDAY QUEEN'S
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WEEKLY HOCKEY COMMENT

(Continued from Page 8.)

not meant as a slight to them but as a safeguard against the interest of our local competitions.

I am also glad to hear the ladies have applied for Umpires for the coming season through the H.K.H.A. The question was brought up at the last Council meeting and the Umpires' Hockey Board will deal with the matter. I am positive the ladies will have little trouble during the coming season as far as Umpires are concerned.

Mr. K. Hussain is a keen umpire himself and he should prove of great assistance to all hockey clubs in the Colony.

I am sorry to hear that Eric Moses, the H.K. Club 2nd XI goalkeeper, intends to give up the game this season. He finds it impossible to turn out for the Club on Fridays, as the Volunteer meetings take place on this day and he is too keen a member of his Company to forsake it for a game of hockey.

Congratulations to J. Gonsalves, the Colony left-half and Interporter, on his engagement. I do hope John won't spend too many week-ends at Macao where his dance resides. The Club de Recreio will need him badly for their week-end games.

The K.I.T.C. have elected a new hockey representative and he is no other than Pyna Singh, who led the Interporter team against Macao last season. I wish him success.

Local players will be pleased to hear that St. Andrew's Club will run a men's team this season. Mr. F. A. Broadbridge is captain and is getting the following team together:—H. Millington, E. H. P. White, F. V. Wong, R. Dornier, A. E. P. Guest, J. R. Wall, F. A. Broadbridge, A. G. Cox, W. H. Colledge, A. F. Austen and R. Baldwin. Their first match will take place next Tuesday, October 12, at 5.10 p.m. against Club de Recreio on the B.A. ground, Kowloon. It is interesting to see how the team will shape.

PARTING OF THE WAYS Argonauts And Recreio Split

(By "The Pilgrim")

Argonauts and Club de Recreio have separated, and each club will now function individually.

The Argonauts, who won the Civilian half of the Inter-section Tournament last season, will this year operate on their own and will include only members of the Argonauts, whereas last year several members of the Recreio turned out for them. The following will represent the Argonauts this year:—U. B. Souza, R. Xavier, A. S. Xavier, M. Gaan, L. Oliveira, C. Remedios, P. Molaco, F. X. Sequeira, P. Xavier, V. Gracia and A. Angelo.

The Argonauts have also joined the United Hockey Tournament. The Recreio will only participate in the Inter-section Tournament and friendly fixtures this season. Several of their members, including E. L. Gosano, A. M. Rodrigues, J. Goncalves, Marques and T. Alves, who turned out for the Argonauts last season, will appear only for Recreio. They should be able to field a strong team this winter.

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The Eighth Extra Race Meeting will be held (weather permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on Saturday, 9th and Monday, 11th October, 1937, commencing at 2.00 p.m. on both days.

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By Order,
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Hongkong, 4th October, 1937.



The Academy Award is won again by Janet Gaynor on the screen as it was in life in "A Star is Born." David O. Selznick's technicolor production showing at the King's Theatre. Co-star Frederic March (also an Academy Award winner) salutes her, while Adolphe Menjou stands by.

YANKEES WIN SECOND GAME OF SERIES NEED TWO MORE VICTORIES TO CLINCH TITLE

New York, Oct. 7.

Duplicating yesterday's rally in the sixth inning, the New York Yankees to-day won the second match in the World Baseball Series against the New York Giants by eight runs to one. They now need only two more victories to clinch the contest.

Ruffing, pitching for the winners, kept the Giants down to seven hits in the course of the nine innings; but the three pitchers tried by the Giants conceded 12 hits to the Yankees. Melton was named the losing pitcher.

The weather was warm and sunny, there being an attendance of 60,573 with total gate receipts \$220,552. Mr. Herbert Hoover, former President of the United States, was again present at the game.

Ruffing pitched unchanged for the Yankees. He was only in trouble twice, in the first and ninth innings. In the last frame, he conceded a walk and two singles, thus loading the bases, but then Moore was put out at home. Ruffing struck out eight batters.

In the first session, Ruffing "fanned" three but the Giants, with two hits, scored what proved to be their lone run of the day.

GIANTS START WELL

Melton commenced well and held the Yankees helpless for four innings, allowing them only four hits. In the fifth, however, the American League champions bombarded him with four straight hits to force two men home, thus taking a lead of 2-1.

Gumbert replaced Melton in the box and staved off the Yankee attack for the remainder of the session. The Yankees duplicated yesterday's sixth inning display of dynamite and forged further ahead with four runs. Gumbert then yielded to Colman, who gave the Yankees slightly more resistance from the mound, allowing only two runs and two hits in the seventh. No more scoring took place for the remainder of the match.

The Yankees' runs were batted in by Selkirk and Ruffing, three each, and Dickey and Hoag one each, while Melvin Ott was responsible for the Giants' solitary tally.

The score-board at the end of the match read:

Yankees	8	12	0
Giants	1	7	0

A fire broke out in the bleachers shortly after the close of the game, threatening considerable damage to the stands, but it was soon extinguished.

The game to-morrow will be played at the Polo Grounds, the Giants' home field.

Pearson will be on the mound for the Yankees, and Schumacher will attempt to stem the tide for the Giants.—Reuter.

CRICKET TEAMS

The following teams have been chosen to represent the Kowloon Cricket Club in their games on Saturday and Monday:

Second XI v. the Royal Engineers on Saturday starting at 2 p.m. at Sookunpoo.—A. A. Dand (Capt.), W. L. McKenzie, S. A. Gray, G. A. V. Hall, N. D. Lloyd, B. D. Lay, R. T. Broadbridge, F. A. Broadbridge, K. M. Baxter, J. R. Luke, and R. A. J. Simpson. Umpire, H. Overy.

First XI v. the H.K.C.C. on Monday on the Club ground starting at 11 a.m.—F. Goodwin (Capt.), A. A. Dand, E. C. Fincher, A. T. Lay, B. D. Lay, N. D. Lloyd, W. L. McKenzie, C. B. R. Sargent, K. M. Baxter, W. Mulcahy and R. Baldwin. Umpire, H. Overy.

Fastest Century By Hardstaff

J. Hardstaff, the Nottinghamshire and England batsman, won the trophy presented by Sir Walter Lawrence for the fastest century in a first-class match during the past season. Hardstaff reached three figures in 51 minutes against Kent at Canterbury in August.

LEAGUE SOCCER TEAMS

The Kowloon Football Club teams for Saturday have been chosen and are as follows:

First XI v. Kowloon Chinese on the Kowloon ground at 4.30 p.m.—Rowlands, Everest, A. Ulrich, Evans, Bliss, Vale, Conkley, P. Jorge, D. Knox, V. White and Honniball.

Second XI v. H. K. Football Club on the Club ground at 3 p.m.—Jeffery, Sousa, Abbas, Maxwell, Wilson, Silva, Ulrich, Belts, G. White, Bulpin and W. Knox. Reserve, Thompson.

PORTUGUESE SPORTING ASSOCIATION

The following team has been chosen to represent the Portuguese Sporting Association in their football league match against the 24th Bty. R. A. on Saturday in King's Park at 3 p.m.:—A. M. Quinn, J. Remedios, L. Gomes, C. Figueredo, R. Ribeiro, J. Pereira (Capt.), H. Campos, C. Santos, M. Guan, H. Remedios and H. Santos. Reserve, E. Lawrence.

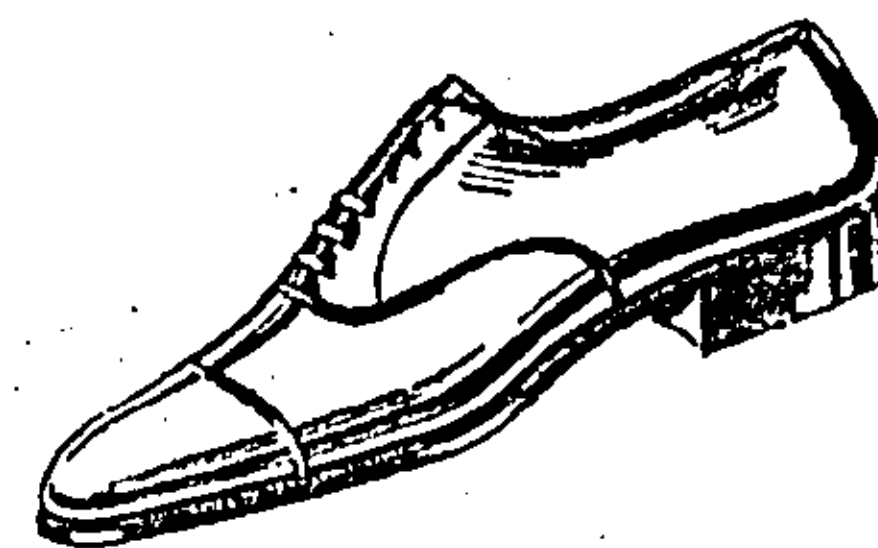
ST. JOSEPH'S ELEVEN

The following team has been chosen to represent St. Joseph's against the Eastern at 4.30 p.m. on Saturday on the Navy ground:

R. Marques, J. Bowen, V. Costa, N. Delgado, A. J. Hussain, W. Sprinkle, T. Castilho, A. Ward, D. Leonard, J. Gomes and A. Alves. Reserves: D. Alves and W. Maher.

WOMEN'S GOLF

Memphis, Oct. 6.
In the third round of the American women's golf championship to-day, Mrs. Newbold of Wichita, beat Mrs. Collet Vane by 2 and 1. The present holder of the title, Miss Pam Barton of Britain is not competing.—Reuter.



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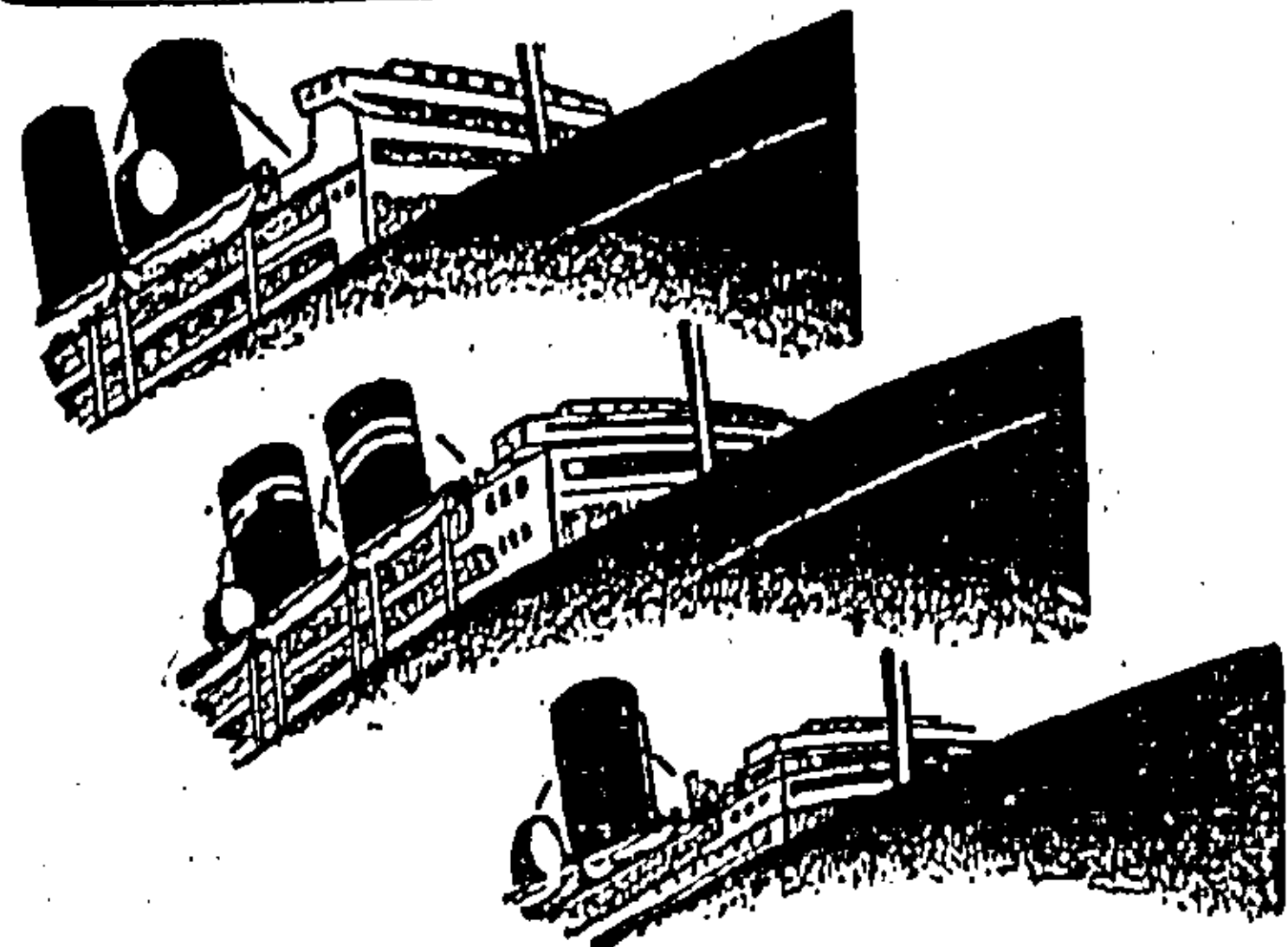
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*BANGALORE	6,000	6th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
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RANCHI	17,000	27th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
*BHUTAN	6,000	4th Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
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SANTHA	8,000	16th Dec.	

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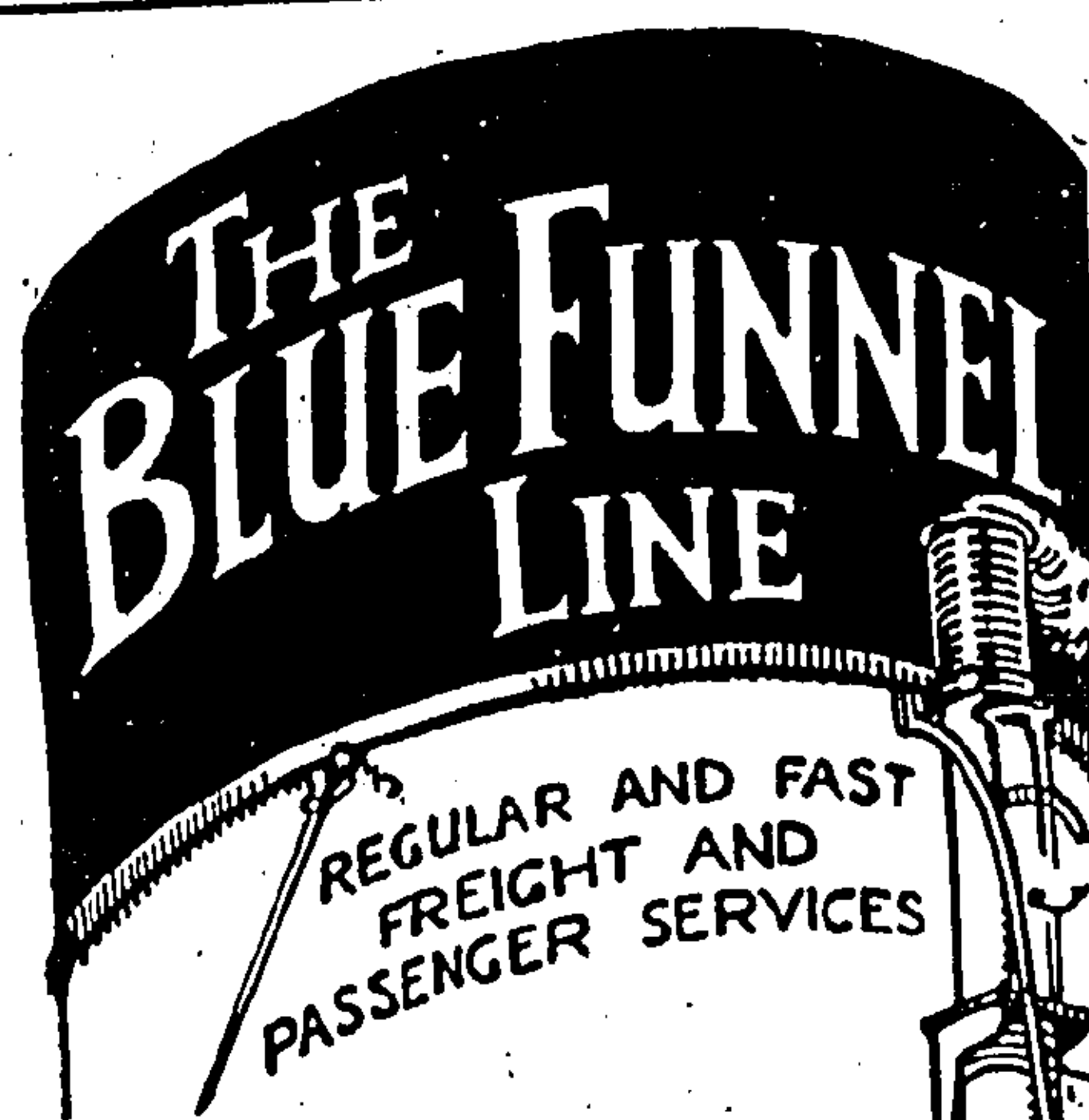
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SHANGHAI NO PLACE FOR WOMEN

Conditions In Shanghai Settlement

"I am strongly of the opinion that Shanghai is no place for any British woman and they are very foolish to want to stick it out," wrote a Shanghai resident to a friend in Hongkong on September 27. "Between ourselves, I am certain the Settlement will yet know the more serious side of war and if the sitting on the fence policy of the foreign Powers is kept up indefinitely (and I expect it to be so) the position in and about Shanghai will gradually get worse and worse."

"In spite of everything the Chinese still hold the North Station, which is almost incredible, and which to some big extent is still in their hands. Adding to this the Japanese have failed to obtain mastery of the air although it is getting on that way. The Japanese have adopted an over-powering attitude with regard to Yangtzepoo and enter Hongkong and try to get into the Settlement. They think without reference to foreign Consular authorities. I have been over into the stricken areas twice and it has all been cleaned up very nicely, in fact it is cleaner now than it has ever been, but the damage done is colossal. Somebody gets hurt every day killed in the Settlement and machine-gun bullets which have taken the wrong turning...and one never knows...."

BUSINESS AS USUAL

"One the other hand within the confines of the Settlement shop keepers are endeavouring to adopt the slogan 'business as usual' the fools, who can business be as usual...when there isn't any. This morning Hongkong and Yangtzepoo was kindly opened by the Japs to enable stocks of food and personal property to be brought out. The mess of transport assembled, for hours is indescribable, trucks at \$150 per day held up for hours on the Bund. A terrible lack of organisation of which the business of this Settlement will have to bear the major cost."

"During the last fourteen days nothing of importance seems to have been done, and the rumour that the Japs were going to force a landing on the Pootung side has not materialized. The position of Nanking remains the same and around the Chapel boundaries no change of major importance has taken place. News here concerning Nanking is that terrible punishment was inflicted on the town generally but so far as military objectives are concerned no real damage is recorded. The Air Defence force in Nanking is said to be very thorough and the raiders have a hard time of it. Knowing Nanking, for the life of me I cannot see the point of bombing the place. The Government will only bolt to a safer place of unknown locality and it will only be the masses of coolies and beggars who will get it in the neck."

"The spreading of the bombing all over the Chinese territory will accomplish just what the Nanking Government wants, i.e. unification and support for the Central Government so I am not sure that the Japs are working in the right channel. There is not much doubt in our minds that it can be a long drawn out affair and if that is to be, then not only you but all British companies will do well to make and keep their Headquarters in British territory."

FUTURE IN BALANCE

"The future of the Settlement must still be in the balance and it looks certain that Hongkong and Yangtzepoo will never again be a part of the Settlement."

"If you could see the Bund this morning, it is a scene, thousands of trucks and coolies in possession of passes to go into the Hongkong area allowed to pass the sentries only at the time on the Garden Bridge. God help them on the return trip if the troops insist upon examining all the goods brought out. For gross mismanagement and sheer stupidity it all takes the bun."

"The Government should stand firm and refuse to allow any British women to return here under any circumstances, we have quite enough women to care for as it is...if things go against us."

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U.S. Policy Statement Well Timed

British View Of Development

London, Oct. 6. British officials are convinced that the denunciation by the State Department and the speech by President Roosevelt were timed purposely to influence an emergency conference under the Nine-Power Pact.

It is understood that the Cabinet has directed Mr. Anthony Eden, Foreign Secretary, to inquire immediately as to the probable extent of Washington's co-operation in dealing with the Far Eastern situation.

The Cabinet has also deferred action on an official anti-Japanese boycott pending the outcome of the Nine-Power Convention.—United Press.

Unofficial Opinion

London, Oct. 7. Signs of an unofficial boycott of Japanese goods are appearing in many directions, actively pursued by the Labour press. Co-operative societies in several towns have adopted resolutions protesting against Japanese aggression and urging a boycott. Numerous Free Church organisations in England and Wales are taking similar steps.

The Daily Herald gives prominence to a cable from Madame Sun Yat-sen to the Labour Party stressing the China struggle for national existence and appealing for "your great Labour Party to express its sympathy in unmistakable action against Japan's mad venture to destroy civilisation."

On the other hand, the influence of more cautious counsels is equally noteworthy. For example, Alderman Rothwell of Salford City Council, where feeling is running high, while emphasising sympathy with China, where six members of his family are now living, nevertheless urged that a boycott was a danger-

BLOCKADE EFFECT

China's Trade Cut By Half In August

Shanghai, Oct. 6. (5.50 p.m.). A Japanese naval spokesman said to-day that the Japanese blockade had reduced Chinese imports and exports in August by a half, compared with July.

He said that small amounts of arms and munitions were still trickling in, but the shortage of foodstuffs, particularly rice and salt, was already felt. He predicted a general shortage soon.—United Press.

ARMY PURCHASES

Washington, Oct. 6. China was the second largest arms purchaser from the United States, during September according to the records of the Munitions Control Board. She spent \$2,800,000 principally for bombs, hand grenades and mines.—Reuter.

JAPAN'S LOSSES

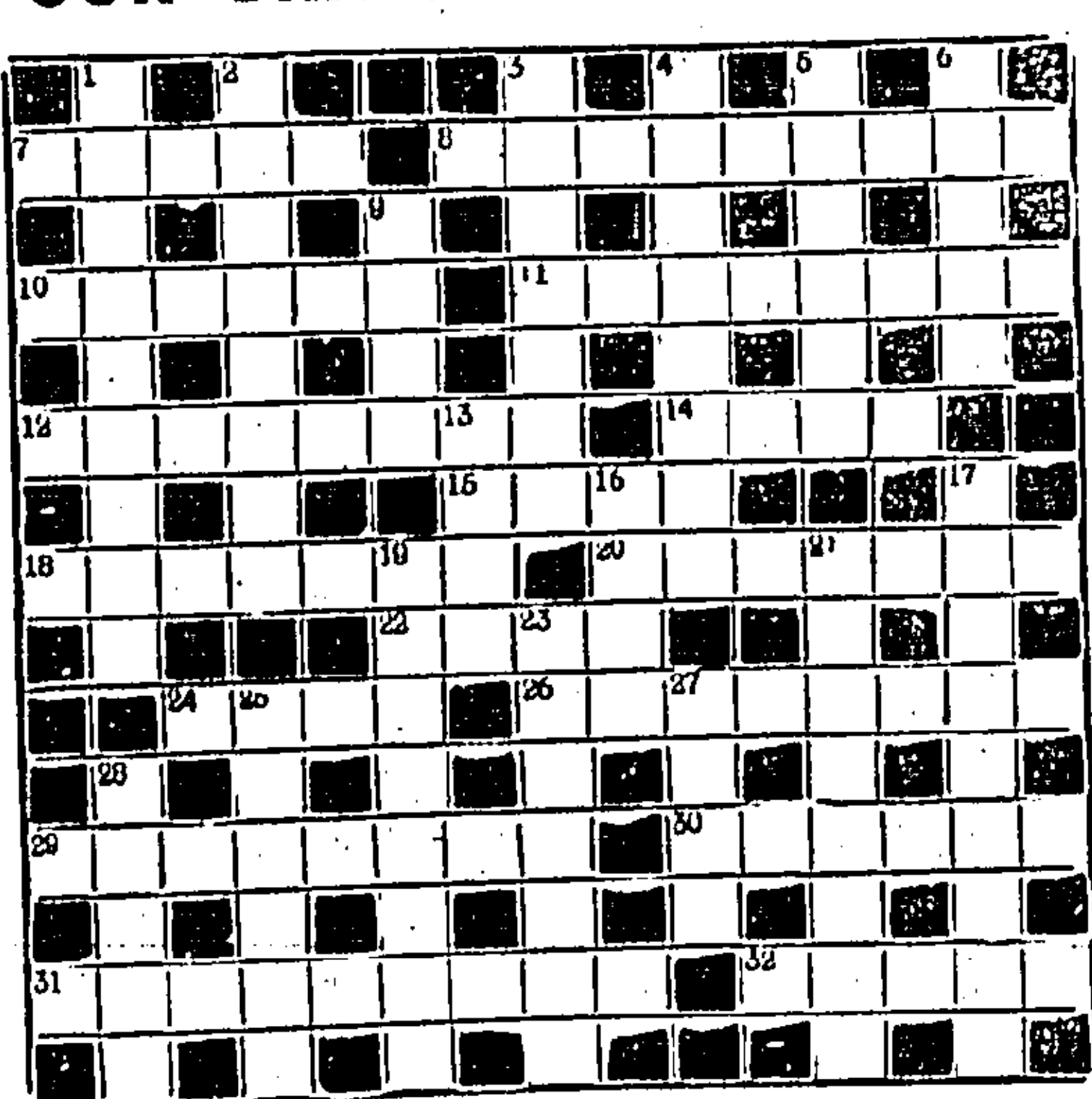
Los Angeles, Sept. 10. Japan has lost 150 million dollars in merchandise orders to American merchants by her undeclared war on China, according to Dr. Kalfred Dip Lurn, member of the Central Executive Committee of the Chinese National Government, while on a recent visit to this city.

Mr. Neville Chamberlain, Premier, speaks at Scarborough to-morrow at the opening of the Conservative Party Conference and it is anticipated that he will reply to President Roosevelt, indicating the Government's attitude, which it is believed was discussed at yesterday's Cabinet meeting.—Reuter.

President Roosevelt's speech continues to be eagerly discussed and there is much speculation regarding the precise meaning.

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ACROSS

- 7 Sailors watch this while off duty.
- 8 Inhabitant of a large island.
- 10 Stalls: both small outside, if you look carefully.
- 11 Go for sin (anag.).
- 12 Where Tom Beach was lost.
- 14 Wheel set centrally.
- 15 Talking shelter in the curious erection, they earnestly applied some arnica, as he had a temperature (hidden).
- 16 Might be due to borrowed troubles, but the pulse are all right.
- 20 As in three-quarters of nine. Silly, isn't it?
- 22 Hidden in Clue 15.
- 24 Just an old cart in the finish.
- 25 When all's said and done.
- 26 Decapitated Indians attempt work: incredible stoicism!
- 29 One of the husbands of Mary Queen of Scots.
- 30 Not really correct headwear for the City—at least, only to a limited extent.
- 31 The allusion taken up by the prospective employer.
- 32 The rest is oblivion.

DOWN

- 1 Lost and found again.
- 2 Draw closer and formally agree to study the treatise.
- 3 Beetles.
- 4 Worm solecisms.

5 Frenchmen eat them with gusto as they are, but we prefer to behold them before use.

- 6 Mountains.
- 9 Continental capital.
- 13 Emus in disguise, I think.
- 16 Hidden in Clue 15.
- 17 I don't care whether my trousers are, so long as my money does.
- 19 The sort of vision a good golfer ought to have? (hyphen, 4, 4).
- 21 Breathing apparatus.
- 23 Lol a rick (anagram-hyphen, 3, 4).
- 25 It is at least doubly necessary for one who would travel so.
- 27 Hidden in Clue 15.
- 28 Went astray in Dover.

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HAPPENINGS AS SEEN BY THE CAMERA'S EYE

Hollywood Beckons, Foreign Stars Respond



Hollywood calls and foreign film stars listen to the enticing clink of American coin. So alarming has the exodus from Europe become that French producers have attempted to slow it down. They insist that their stars must accept contracts for only one foreign film a year and must agree, at the same time, to star or co-operate in one French film annually.

Here are some of the foreign group whose names are expected to blaze in electric lights over American theatres in 1938. Upper left, Oscar Homolka of Vienna, Austria, now before the cameras in his first Hollywood featured role. Upper centre, Ida Miranda, known as Italy's Mariene Dietrich, under contract with Hollywood to make a picture. Upper right, Georges Rigaud, star of the Argentine, scheduled to begin his first American assignment soon.

Lower left, Anna Maria Mathek, Czechoslovakia's most famous beauty, as she arrived in New York recently, en route to Hollywood. Still in her teens, she is the idol of Prague. Lower centre, Francisca Gaal, Austrian star, at work now in a leading Hollywood part. Lower right, Rose Stradner, popular Viennese star and protégée of Max Reinhardt, as she arrived in New York, also en route to Hollywood.



John Cudahy, newly appointed United States Minister to the Irish Free State, stopped in at Dublin Castle to present his credentials to President Eamon de Valera. When he came out, there was an Irish Guard of Honour at the door. So Mr. Cudahy, knowing what to do inspected the guard, as above. He is seen at left centre.



Major Alexander de Seversky, veteran aviator and plane builder, narrowly escaped death when his racing plane crashed and burned at Floyd Bennett Field, New York. The crash banished his plan to try for a new non-stop trans-continental flying record in the Bendix race. Above, fire roars through his all-metal plane after it ground looped.

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MATERIALS FOR NEW RAILWAY IN SZECHUAN PROVINCE LANDED THERE

Rusting on Singapore's waterfront are thousands of feet of steel rails, reinforcing, and pipes consigned from European factories to Shanghai.

Freight ships diverted from routes lying too close to the war zone have dumped their non-perishable cargoes at Singapore. In other cases cargoes left at Singapore for transshipment are remaining there indefinitely because there are so few cargo services to Shanghai.

Even if it was possible to send the cargoes on to Shanghai, it would not be much use unloading them while the war continued.

BIG FRENCH LOAN

Among the materials lying at the waterfront are rails for the new railroad through China's rich, but remote Szechuan Province. Costing \$9,000,000 Straits, the railway is being financed by the Banque Franco-Chinoise Pour le Commerce et l'Industrie.

The new line will be 327 miles long and will be known as the Chuan Chien Railway (Special Charter) Company, Ltd. It is capitalised at approximately \$8,000,000 (China) on a basis of a loan of approximately \$11,000,000 from the French bank.

One-fifth of the French capital will be in cash and the rest in materials. These materials have been on their way to China for some months but the flow will be stopped by the war.

Rails and gear still on the water probably will be added to the existing piles of steel at Singapore waterfront.

More and more ships are discharging Shanghai cargo at Singapore after finding that godowns at Hongkong and Manila are full.

Last week two ships the Hamburg-America Leverkusen and the Blue Funnel Proteus sailed by side each discharged 3,000 tons of cargo intended for Shanghai.

The Leverkusen proceeded to Manila after finding no room at Hongkong, and was then instructed by cable to come to Singapore. Her general cargo contained a large consignment of American canned milk and newsprint.

It is understood that the cargo will be stored here pending the cessation of hostilities.

Farouk's Bride-To-Be Swims at 6 a.m. In Palace Pool

KING FAROUK and his fiancée, disregarding the Moslem tradition which forbids Egyptian women to appear in public, are seen daily driving about the suburbs of Alexandria, either in the two-seater Rolls-Royce, which is the King's favourite, or in the fashionable eight-cylinder American sports car he gave Farida for her birthday.

The young couple take turns at driving. They are usually alone, says the Daily Express.

King Farouk starts out about 6 a.m. on most mornings for Farida's villa. He takes her back to the palace, where they have a swim in the marble pool.

They breakfast together, and then play tennis or ride in the grounds.

Six Farming Daughters, Soon There'll Be Five

(By A Special Correspondent)

"THEN there'll be five," said Farmer William Cave sadly when he told me recently that the eldest of his six bonny daughters—all on the farm—is shortly to marry.

Anyone in the quiet village of Hambleden, on the borders of Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire, where Mr. Cave lives will tell you that the six girls have made their dairy produce famous.

Chestnut-haired, always smiling, Ruby, Mary, Irene, Joyce, Joan, and Sybil have worked on their father's farm ever since they could walk.

TWO TALES FROM CHINA

The din and roar of battle in southern Chahar, which ended with Chinese troops during the sanguinary battle preceding the capture of the "irregular" headquarters at Chaper, had taken the entire 22-piece brass band of the Mongol-Manchukuo bogus army, instruments, uniforms and drum major.

Candidly stated in a military report now released was the threadbare fact that Chinese troops during the sanguinary battle preceding the capture of the "irregular" headquarters at Chaper, had taken the entire 22-piece brass band of the Mongol-Manchukuo bogus army, instruments, uniforms and drum major.

The band is said to have been once the property of Prince Teh, most powerful of all Mongol leaders in Inner Mongolia.

The whole group, musicians and instruments, has been interned in Kweisai for the time being.

Women Heroines

Paoting housewives are joining the militia on the Ping-Han front in many heroic acts. A young girl sentry in the vicinity of Tientsin, near Liulha, one night sighted 10 Japanese soldiers approaching. She fired killing two. The remainder fled.

The King Makes A Promise To Workers

THE King is determined to retain the interest in industry which he displayed when, as Duke of York, he was president of the Industrial Welfare Society.

He is now patron of the society. Sir Charles Crovon, chairman, at the society's conference at Balliol College, Oxford, said the King had given him the very definite assurance that he would personally see that he was not diverted from the tracks leading into the workshop.

Later in his address, Sir Charles, managing director of Vickers-Armstrong, Ltd., said a problem facing industry to-day was that of holidays with pay. He could not think of anything more awful than putting a labourer earning 45s. a week on the streets for ten or twelve days in August without pay.

If he were a married man with two or three children he must look on the holiday season with absolute horror.

Florida learned to ride in London last spring.

From ten to one the King is busy with State affairs. He lunches with his fiancée, the Queen Mother and his sisters. The afternoon is spent driving around the countryside or walking in the palace gardens.



Sitting on her mother's arm a little fair girl presented flowers to Chancellor Hitler during the great Party Congress at Nuremberg recently.

Concert In Aid Of Soldiers

The management of the Hongkong Hotel announces that owing to the concert to be given by the H.K. Chinese Women's Soldiers' Relief Association to-night, the grill room will not be available to the public but the usual dinner dance will be held in the roof garden instead.

All ticket holders intending to be present at the charity function of the H.K. Chinese Women's Soldiers' Relief Association, are requested to reserve their tables immediately at the reception office of the Hongkong Hotel.

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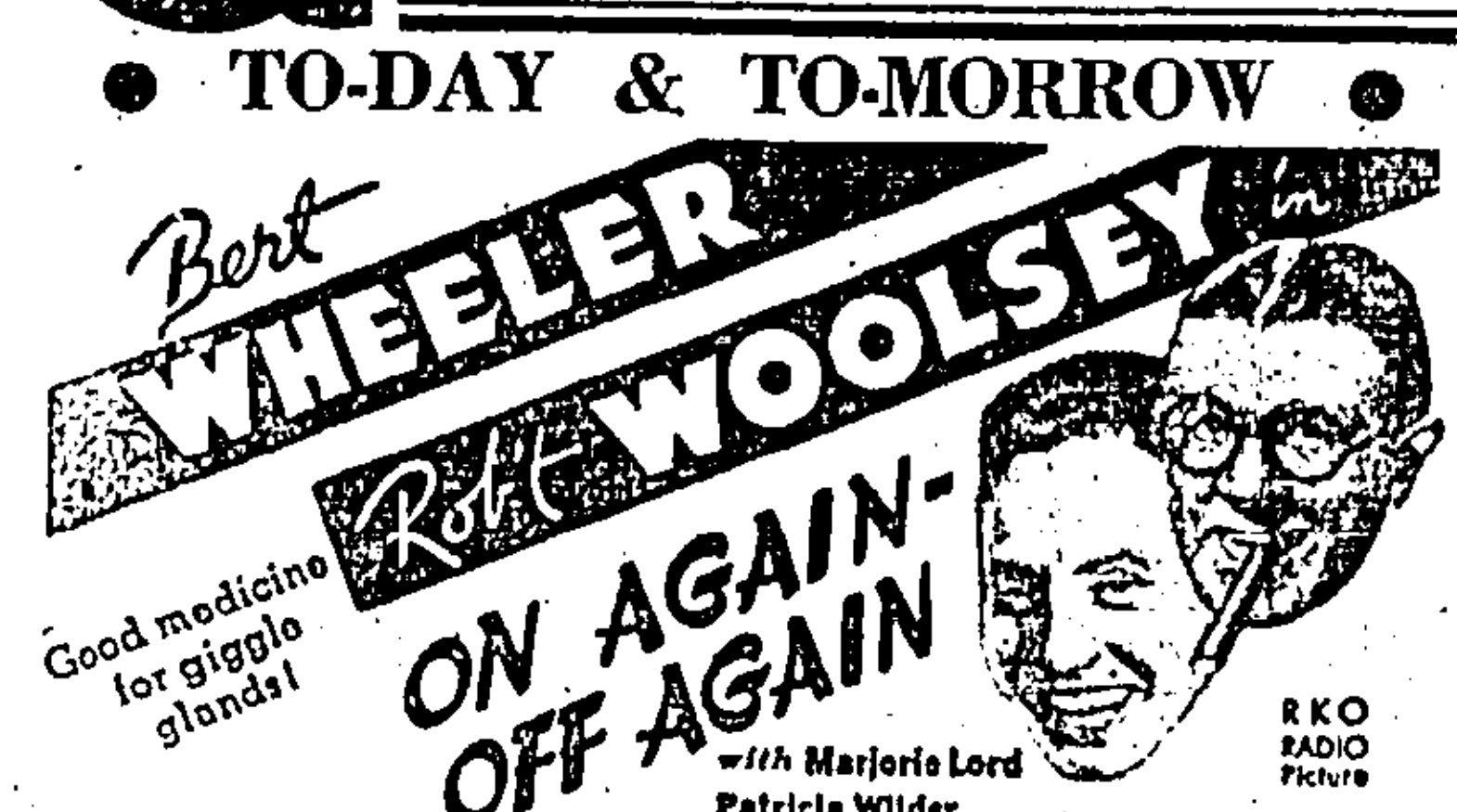
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QUARANTINE RESTRICTIONS RETURNS TO COLONY

Quarantine restrictions have been imposed by the Weihaiwei Government and Customs Authorities at Tientsin (Tientsin), against arrivals from Hongkong on account of attack of typhoid.

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Since those speeches were made, reports had been received of the intensification of aerial activity in Spain of a kind suggestive of the arrival of reinforcements, and other events of a character inconsistent with the urgency in the minds of both the British and French Governments of securing progress by means, if possible, of tripartite discussions, from which in the improved atmosphere due to Italian participation in the



(1) A Cap of the North in black velours with Ocean blue bands and top; (2) black felt trimmed with pale blue grosgrain applied narrow strips of coral velours; (3) Ocean blue felt trimmed with leopard fur fabric, and gloves to match. (Erik.)

Small sketches show an up-in-front down at back stitched velvet; a new wide beret shape; and a country felt with chin strap.

SICK-ROOM MEALS

MOST home nurses know the difficulty of persuading their patients to take a sufficient amount of food during convalescence, especially when the "feeding up" stage is reached. The importance of taking plenty of nourishment cannot be over-rated.

An invalid's appetite is invariably capricious, but much can be done by sending into the sick-room a tray looking as attractive as possible. Food always seems nicer and more tempting if it is daintily served. Often a sick person will eat when from a slovenly, badly set tray when she might have enjoyed an inviting looking little meal.

Try cloths and napkins should be spotlessly clean and fresh. A yard or two of checked gingham, cornflower blue, or buttercup yellow, will make attractive tablecloths which do not require constant washing, or a good plan is to use the paper Japanese variety with gaily-coloured borders. A fresh one can then be put on each day. These make a change for the patient, saves washing, and are invaluable for infectious cases.

Use Bright Patterned China

The silver and glass should always be well polished, and a few flowers, arranged in a vase with a broad base so that it will not upset, make a dainty finish. Brightly-coloured china is more attractive than plain white, especially if a favourable pattern can be obtained. If the invalid is likely to be in bed for some time it is worth while getting a tea-set for her special use, and also a couple of tray-sets consisting of a tray cloth, napkin, tea cosy, and egg cosy, made of linen and embroidered with cross-stitch or in a design to match the pattern on the china.

For dinner, a hot-water plate will ensure that the food is kept really dining, good meat extract added to foods for an invalid is a banana, boiled soft like a turnip, and mixed with milk and a little butter. This fancy cruet in a variety of different designs should be used. The digested pudding should be sent up in a small

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BEAUTIFUL LEGS ARE AN ASSET

BEAUTIFUL legs are certainly a great asset, but most of us find that our legs are the better for a little treatment and cannot be revealed to the world in their natural state.

Superfluous hair is one of the chief "uglinesses" as far as our legs are concerned. Bare legs and thin stockings encourage the hairs to grow until we suddenly realise how unsightly our legs have become.

Simple Depilatories

HOWEVER, the remedy is quite simple and we only have to choose a depilatory which meets our requirements.

Do not fear that depilatories will necessarily encourage the growth of the hair. True, if you begin to shave your legs, you will produce a crop of bristles very soon, but you can obtain several depilatories which discourage the growth of the hair, also another preparation which comes in two parts—one to destroy the hair, and the second to weaken the roots.

Always wash and dry the skin to be treated, and then add a dusting of talc powder if the skin is sensitive. After the removal of the hair, the skin should be dabbed with a mild antiseptic and then a layer of skin food may be necessary.

Oil Soothes

SOMETIMES the legs are rough and "gooseflesh" appears.

Height of Fashion

Paris. HIGH HATS are in again—however you manage it if you really want to be in the fashion you must have a hat that adds several inches to your stature.

Paris designs are showing high-crowned hats, usually with a tapering crown, or a two- or three-tiered crown; wire brims curled upwards at the sides, or sweeping up in front to give height; very big berets, which if set on the back of the head and pulled straight up in front may add four inches to your measurements; and high swathed turbans.

NOW there's no denying that unless you're very careful these high hats are ageing. Realising this, some of the hatters have designed models of normal dimensions and trimmed them with very high mounts. One flat turban I've seen has a plume a foot high mounted bang in the centre front.

In fact, designers this season have been more considerate than usual, and realising also that high hats are often difficult to keep poised "just so" in the winter winds, they have made frequent use of the chin strap—a fashion which has been insinuating its way into favour for the last few months.

I ASKED Madame 'Suzy, the Duchess of Kent's favourite hatter, to put in a nutshell what she considered to be the chief features of her new collection.

This is what she said:—Very big berets, in felt, with trimmings of satin ribbons or cordelieres (cords or plumes) in vivid colours, as black felt with violet blue; in turbans in velvet, draped and trimmed cordelieres; crowns not very high, but brims high.

And here is how Madame Agnes, who numbers Marlene Dietrich amongst her best customers, describes her new collection:—"Tendances high turbans of different shades: jersey; soft brims; high-crown sports hats of antelope felt with straps under chin."

Colour contrasts are to be seen in almost every hat. Suzy gets her contrasts by trimmings, and Agnes, as in the case of the turbans, by using two or three shades in the material of which each is made.

NOW for Erik, the young Danish hatter. He uses "Ocean blue, a cold greenish-blue tone throughout his collection."

His models are tall, with tapering crowns. His most advanced designs are interpretations of Eskimo headgear and the peasant styles of Greenland and other Northern places. These have fur trimmings—sometimes a fox's brush rises straight into the air at the back of a tapering felt toque.

He also uses Persian lamb and Russian ermine as trimmings with felt.

Some of his hats are designed so that they can be worn back to front, and are made to look simple when worn one way and dressy and important the other.

FEATHER-WEIGHT fur felt still holds the stage as the most used material of all, and light-weight velours, velvet, and jersey are firm favourites too.

Rose Descent has many lovely models in stitched felt with medium crown and wide brims sweeping up in front and graduating downwards to the sides till at the back the brim lies down flat along the nape of the neck.

Velvet hats are seen in particularly vivid colours of Royal blue and rich gypsy purples. Reds in coppery and steel shades are used to contrast with browns.

ANGRAVE has sketched several typical hats—included amongst them are three of Erik's.

pears, generally above the knee. For the roughness, the legs should be massaged with warm oil before the bath, while the "gooseflesh" succumbs to a good oiling ten minutes before the bath.

A brisk scouring with soapy lather and a loofah, or nail brush follows, and afterwards a rinsing in warm, then cold water, and, after drying, a little hand cream should be smoothed over the skin.

If you have scorch marks, from sitting over the fire, you may make them appear fainter by dabbing them with calomine lotion, and if they are not too dark, they may be disguised by a layer of a special cream which dries on the skin, looks quite natural, and is not easily rubbed off.

Pointers

The Duchess of Kent's favourite hatter shows—very big berets, cord and girdle trimmings; draped velvet turbans; high brims where crowns are low.

Marlene Dietrich's favourite hatter shows—high turbans in different shades of jersey; high-crown antelope felt sports hats; chin-straps.

Ocean blue is the new greenish-blue tone introduced in all the models of a young Danish designer.

Their Good Taste

BRIDES who have been presented recently with crockery for their wedding presents have showed a marked appreciation of handsome reproductions of old services.

The Old Bow service, with an ornate vase as the central motif, and sprays of flowers around the edges of the plates is one very popular pattern. It is seen in very soft colours, and the handles of the various pieces are finished in gold.

There is also a charming modern design which is making a great appeal. It is not a copy of an old pattern, though the colours used have all the softness of the colours seen on old china. Here a motif of acorns, berries and nuts appears on a cream ground, and border lines to the plates leave a clear inch space all round.

Hot Weather Health Insurance.

Stomach and intestinal troubles are most prevalent in the hot season. Constipation and torpid liver poison the system, increase the body's heat, make life miserable.

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MIRACLE SURGERY IN LONDON HOSPITAL

Fifty Men And Women Have Sex Changed

MUCH SUFFERING NOW BANISHED

Fifty British men and women in the past three years have had their sex changed at a London hospital.

This miracle of modern medicine has until now been the secret of the surgeons engaged. Now they are preparing a book which will reveal their work of "borderline cases" to the world.

Research has been carried out at Charing Cross Hospital, London, of which Mr. L. R. Broster is an honorary surgeon. In the book he will deal with the results of operations. Complete case histories will be given.

Other contributors are Dr. Vines, who will deal with cell changes in the glands, and Dr. Clifford Allen, who will tell his experiences in psychotherapy.

"The book will show that sex abnormalities are more prevalent than is generally thought," a hospital official told the Sunday Chronicle.

GIRLS BECOME BOYS

"Abnormal types, of course, have always existed. But their fate in the past has generally been antipathy and even persecution.

"To-day the problem is being treated in a more enlightened way. The results of operations show now that a great deal of human suffering can be banished."

Changes generally occur at adolescence, usually among girls, and begin when they show tendencies to become boys.

Operations on the adrenal glands are usually effective.

One typical case treated was that of a girl who began to grow a moustache and beard at the age of 14.

Her general build was that of a boy rather than a girl and her voice was low-pitched.

HER VOICE CHANGED

After the operation the hair on her face disappeared; her cheeks became rosy; the quality of her voice changed; her interests in life became distinctly feminine.

Cases are cited where women patients, after the operation, have married and given birth to children. Not all the operations carried out have been 100 per cent. successful, of course. In some cases the results are said to be doubtful.

Few, even in the medical profession, outside Charing Cross Hospital know about the pioneer work which has been carried out for the sex-correction.

PAYS RATES THOUGH MAY BE HOMELESS

The scene was the S.M.C. Revenue Office, Kiangse Road, Shanghai.

A Chinese of the middle class walked into the room and announced he desired to pay his Municipal rate for the third quarter. He seemed somewhat apprehensive, and he made profound apologies for being late with his payment.

The clerk on duty asked him where



Dr. Roberto M. Ortiz, former Minister of Finance of Argentina, who is a highly favoured candidate for President, in the elections to be held soon. He is the candidate of the Government party. President Augustin P. Justo has served six years and, under the constitution, cannot serve another term.

Love Drama Of "Living Target"

GIRL'S SUICIDE DURING STAGE SHOW

Lydia Linders, the "living target," hit upon a new way of committing suicide when the man with whom she was in love chose another woman.

Lydia and Leo Gavorin, a Caucasian, staged a variety "act" in which the girl stood against a board while the man outlined her figure with rifle bullets.

Leo, whose real name is Wassili, is an expert with the gun and, during all the time the couple had been touring, there was never an accident.

But, at a little Grecian town, states a message from Athens, Lydia was hit in the heart. She died almost immediately.

Police inquiries have shown that one of Leo's rifles was loaded with lead, instead of the wax bullets ordinarily used.

Investigation has also shown that Lydia's death was neither accident nor murder, as at first supposed.

The authorities are now satisfied that the girl, who claimed to be Princess Barunkiff, deliberately committed suicide by moving sideways as the fatal shot was fired after having loaded the rifle with real bullets.

Messages from Lydia's brother, who lies in Ceylon, have proved that she was broken-hearted because Leo had fallen in love with another woman and had promised marriage.

She had told friends that she could not live without Leo.

His property was situated. He answered, "Point Road."

"Of course," he added, "I haven't been there for over ten days but I think it is there!"

He paid his rate and went away with a satisfied smile.

FRENCH FLIGHTS TO COLONIES

60 Aeroplanes To Take Part

Paris. The mass long-distance flights of 60 heavy machines of the French air force to French Colonies in Indo-China, Madagascar and Equatorial Africa are to be made in the last half of next month.

These flights are intended to demonstrate the efficiency and enterprise of France in the air and to correct a certain amount of pessimism caused by Italy's victory in the recent Ypres-Damascus race.

The flights are to be undertaken by three squadrons of the 1st Air Corps. A squadron of four-engined Farman 221 bombers will fly to French Indo-China and back and will be accompanied to Syria by a detachment of Marcel Bloch 200 machines of the Levant squadron.

A squadron of twin-engine Amiot 143 heavy fighters and bombers will fly to Madagascar, and a squadron of twin-engined Potez 540 machines will fly to French Equatorial Africa.

After meeting at Ystres, near Marseilles, on the completion of their flights, all machines will fly together to Paris.

MALINGERER'S FIGHT WITH DOCTOR

Consulting Room

Battle Royal

A battle royal in a doctor's consulting-room between a malingerer and the surgeon who had caught him off his guard was described at the Industrial Welfare Society's Conference, at Oxford, by Mr. R. Watson Jones, hon. orthopaedic surgeon at Liverpool Royal Infirmary.

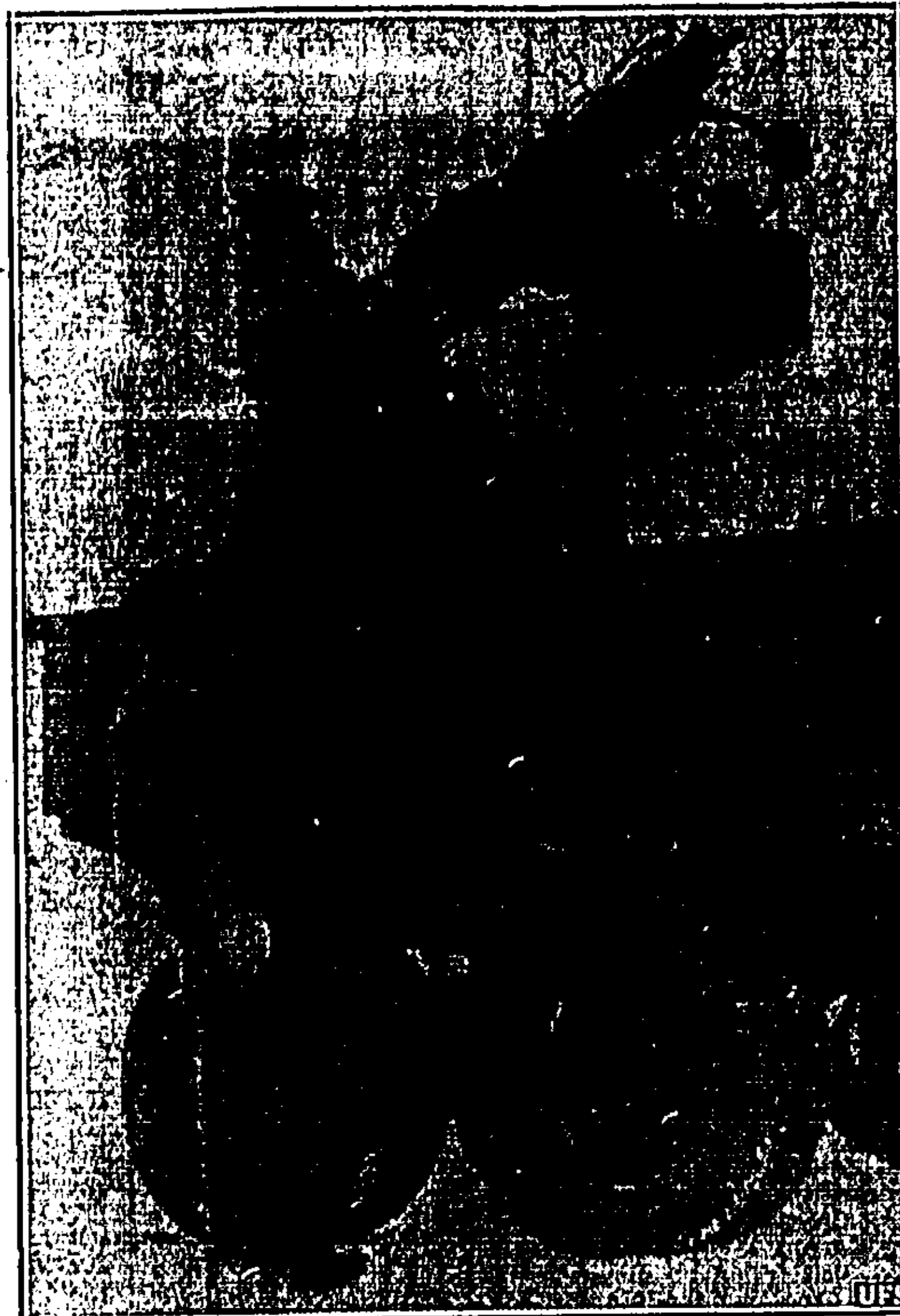
He showed the delegates a film illustrating the work being done by orthopaedic surgery to rehabilitate men and women who have been temporarily incapacitated by injuries, and said that the film was shown to the King some months ago at a dinner party, attended by leading employers of labour. Since then many thousands had been subscribed for the establishment of fracture clinics and rehabilitation centres.

"Malingers are usually made, not born," Mr. Watson Jones went on, "but there are still a few pure malingers—men who have no disability, but who see in a trivial accident a source of income."

"A man came into my consulting room one day with his head down on one side. He had not been able to straighten his neck for two years, and many pounds had been spent on treatment. It was quite clear, however, that he was deliberately holding his head in a vice-like grip, and there was nothing whatever wrong with him."

"In the course of the examination I suddenly took him off his guard, and put his head perfectly straight. So infuriated was he that he leaped to his feet and struck out with his fist."

"The sober dignity of the consulting-room was shattered by a battle royal—an all-in wrestling match, in the course of which the man demonstrated the most perfect movement of every point in his body, including his neck."



Persistent reports in Nanking, China, were to the effect that Soviet Russia would soon consider Outer Mongolia an integral part of the Chinese Republic. In that event, Russia presumably would be bound to aid China in the war against Japan, because of the Chinese-Russian non-aggression pact. The Russian anti-aircraft gunners shown above, a Siberian unit on the Amur river, might be called into real action.

Reprieved, To Seek Murder Witness

"SCOTTY" MASON, sentenced to death for the Brixton taxicab murder in May, 1923, but later reprieved, leaves Parkhurst Prison soon—with a set purpose in life.

A close friend of his revealed that Mason is determined to find the mysterious third man, said to have been seen at the time of the crime. This man was also known as "Scotty."

"Mason has always maintained his innocence and I believe him," said his friend.

"I am firmly convinced that if this other man can be traced the case can be reopened and Mason granted a free pardon."

Alexander Campbell Mason was 22 when he was convicted of shooting Jacob Dickey, a Stepmother, in Brixton. A petition for his reprieve was signed by 60,000 people.

AT PRISON CONCERTS

He was first sent to Dartmoor and later to Parkhurst Prison.

While in goal Mason has taught himself to play the violin well.

He has frequently played solos at prison concerts and hopes to get employment as a musician when he is liberated.

Mason has also become a good chess player and is at present match captain of the Parkhurst team.

He has played against many famous chess masters who have visited the goal and has beaten or drawn with some of them.

Sylvia Sidney Wants To Go On The Stage

By Molly Castle

Hollywood, Sept. 5.

SYLVIA SIDNEY, heart-throb girl of the screen, is longing to get on the stage. She confessed to me in her dressing-room that she prefers to be behind the footlights instead of the arc-lights.

"I don't live in California," she explained to me. "I work in California, but I live in New York, Broadway is my spiritual home."

Sylvia's stage longing is going to be gratified. She is now off to New York in fact as well as spirit.

She is going to do a play there—but she will be back.

I was having lunch with Sylvia in her dressing-room during the making of her latest picture, "Dead End."

Sylvia wore a shabby cotton dress and carried a two-shilling handbag, because in the picture she is a girl of the New York slums.

NERVOUS SYLVIA

"Nothing worth while ever comes out of having a good time," said Sylvia to me.

"Well, nobody can accuse Miss Sidney of having too good a time, even when she's doing the things she likes to do, and she does an awful lot of things she doesn't like doing."

Sylvia is super-sensitive, nervous, high strung. She feels things too deeply, worries too much. Probably the few good times she has had would have been a sheer, ecstasy unknown to happy, carefree, less highly tuned people.

It's no fun having this kind of a temperament. Bad things seem to happen so much more often than good ones.



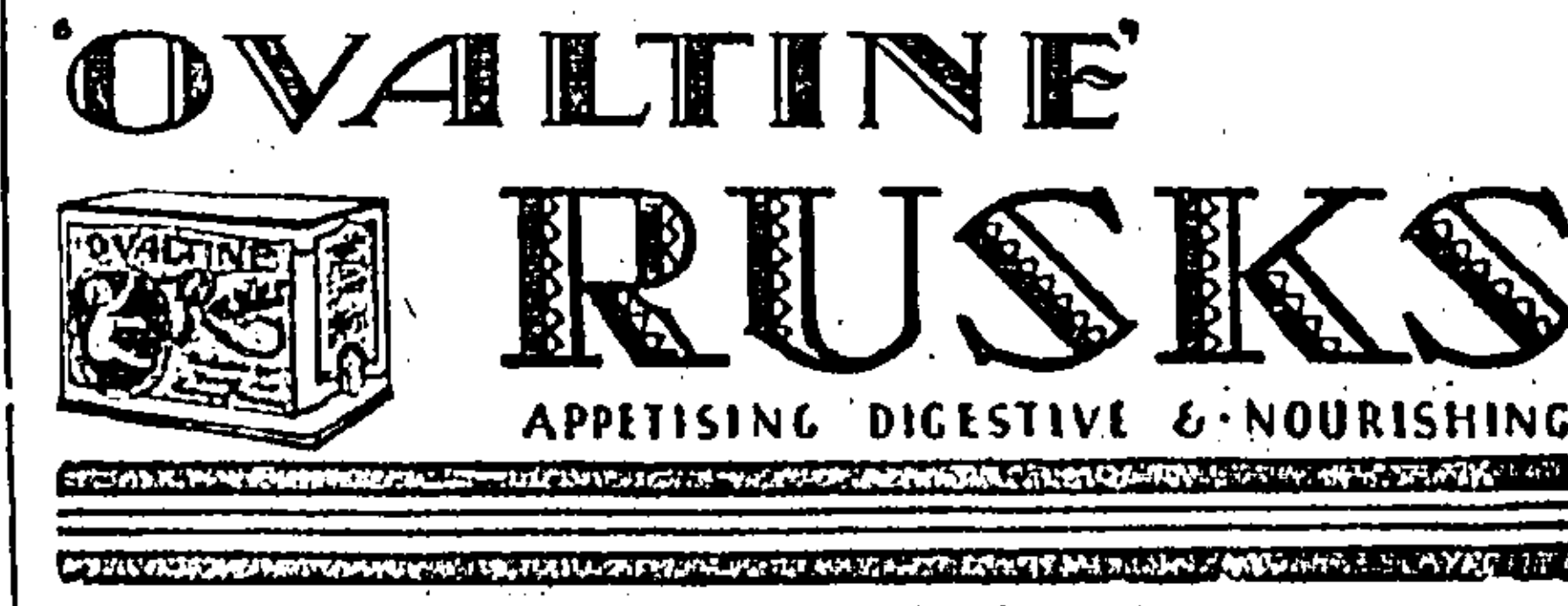
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Chinese 5% Gold Bonds	89	90
1925-26		
Chinese 4½% Anglo-	91½	90 1/16
Loan 1906		
Chinese 5% Crisp Loan	91½	91½
1912		
Chinese Reorg. Loan	63½	65½
1913 (Lon. Lk.)	75½	67½
Chinese Empire Ry. 5%	44	44
1905		
Hukwang Ry. 5%, 1905	36	36
Long Tsing & U. H. Ry. 1%	21½	21½
Shanghai-Nanking Ry.	39½	39½
Tientsin-Pukow Ry. 5%		
(Brit. Std.)	31	31
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(Ger. Std.)	31	31
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(Ger. Std. Supl. Loan)	31	31
Japan 5% Sterling 1907	63½	63½
German 5% Sterling 1924	99	99½
Chinese Bank	13½	13½
Chinese Eng. & Mfg. Co.	12½	12½
Chinese Corp'n	15 7/16	15 7/16
Pekin Syndicate	40½	40½
Shanghai Construction	55	55
Shanghai Waterworks	38	38
Union Insurance Society	31½	31½
Yunnan Yunnan Rubber	23½	23½
Allied Iron Foundries	44½	45
Assoc. Eng. & Mfg. Co.	35 7/16	37 1/16
Cable & Wireless, 7½%	68½	71½
British-American Tob.		
(bearer)	109 1/16	109 1/16
British Cable Corp. ord.	12½	12½
Mexican Eagle	14½	14½
Castauids	106½	107 1/16
Dunlop Rubber	70½	72½
General Elec. (Eng.)	124½	124½
General Electric & Co	124½	124½
Hawker Siddeley Aircraft	26½	27½
Imperial Chemical Indus.	39 10/16	39 10/16

Imperial Tobacco	143 1/2	146 1/2
Marks & Spencer	31 1/2	31 7/8
P. & B. Bazaar	32/6	32/8
Rolls Royce	36/3	36/3
Reynold Motors	38/2	38/2
Tate & Lyle	42/4	42/4
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Refrigerated Steel	21 1/2	20 10/16
Vickers	20/6	20/6
Woolwich, ord.	25 1/2	25 1/2
Arrol-Scott (Rubber Plantation Invest. Trust)	29/3	30/6
Burdin Gordon	36 1/2	38 1/2
Commonwealth Mining	2/6	2/6
Marshall Investments	2/6	2/6
Anglo-Siam Estates	48 1/2	49 1/2
Exploration Co.	207	207 1/2
Sun-Hel	7 1/2	7 1/2
Barren Gold Mining	13 1/2	13 1/2
Anglo-Trent	120	121 1/2
Burnall	13 1/2	13 1/2
Steel, Iron & Trd. (bearer)	100 7/8	100 1/4
Chinese Ind. & Nat. 1925 (Vickers)	22 1/2	22 1/2
Canadian-Kowloon Ry. 6 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Indubank Ltd.	34	34

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Atok	.17
Baquito Gold	17 1/2
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Coco Grove	.51
Consolidated Mines	10.00
Demonstration	.39
I.X.L.	.39
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San Mauricio	.72
Siyoc	21 1/2
United Paracale	.57
Market Summary	

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Striking at an earthenware jar in which he kept a quantity of firecracker powder, in an attempt to break it open, Chung Ting, 20, of Wai Tam village, New Territories, caused an explosion which injured him on the head, body and hands yesterday. He was taken to the Kowloon Hospital for treatment. Chung had struck at the jar with an iron rod.

DALLAS SUCCEEDS DALTON

Heads Executive Of Labour Party

London, Oct. 7. Mr. George Dallas, J.P., Chairman of the National Labour Party Committee on Agricultural and Rural Problems, has been elected Chairman of the National Executive of the Labour Party in succession to Mr. Hugh Dalton.—*Reuter*.

Mr. Dallas has long been one of Labour's most active workers in Britain, and among the many important appointments he has held are those of General Secretary to the Independent Labour Party of Scotland, member of the Royal Commission on Agriculture, member of the Agricultural Wages Board, member of the National Council of Agriculture for England.

After unsuccessfully contesting the General Elections in 1918, 1922, 1923 and 1924, he was returned as Labour M.P. for Wellingborough in 1929, and held his seat until 1931.

HEATED SCENES

London, Oct. 7. There were heated scenes at the Labour Party Conference at Bourne-mouth to-day when the Executive submitted for endorsement a report on international policy and defence, embodying support of the rearmament programme as adopted by the last Trades Union Congress.

Strong opposition was advanced by Mr. George Lansbury, but the conference, on a card vote of 2,169,000 against 262,000 rejected the amendment to refer the report back, and the conference accepted the report.—*Reuter's Special*.

DINNER AND DANCE FOR WAR RELIEF

A further effort on the part of local Chinese to collect funds for war relief is the organisation of a dinner and dance, which will be held at the ballroom of the Hotel Cecil, on October 10, from 8 p.m. to 2 a.m. Tickets at \$5 each, including dinner, are obtainable at Hotel Cecil and the Wing On Company, Ltd.

The function is being organised by the following members of the Chinese community: Messrs. Li Sing-ku, Peter H. Sin, Tong Bing-chuen, Lau Kit-nin, Chan Wai-chun, Pan Yau-shing, T. O. Tso, Lau King-sing, Lau Yuk-wan, Lee Cheuk-ku, Yung Koon-man and Chan Lan-fong. The Hotel Cecil is to provide dinner at its own expense, so that all profit from the dance can go to the War Relief Fund.

It is also learned that Mr. Toni Desmond and his dance orchestra have promised to provide an excellent programme, and the various well-known local artists, in response to the request of the dance organisers, will render special items to be added to the entertainment of the evening.

High Officer With Reuter To Retire

W. L. Murray Long European Chief

London, Oct. 7. Mr. W. L. Murray, European general manager of Reuter's, is retiring at the end of this year on pension at his own request, but will continue his association with the Company in an advisory capacity.

His successor will be Mr. W. J. Moloney, Reuter's general manager for the East, whose connection with India, however, will not be severed by the new appointment.

From the date of Mr. Murray's retirement, his colleague Mr. William Turner, at present Overseas general manager, and Mr. Moloney, will rank as joint general managers of the Company under Sir Roderick Jones, Chairman and Managing Director.—*Reuter*.

SEAMEW LEAVES MACAO TO-DAY

Macao, Oct. 7. H.M.S. Seamew under the command of Lieut. Commander P. T. A. Love, arrived here from Hongkong yesterday afternoon.

The officers were guests of Mr. F. J. Gellion, British Vice-Consul for Macao, and Mrs. Gellion, at a dinner yesterday evening given in honour of H. E. A. Farnaghi, Barba, Governor of Macao. The Seamew's officers were also present at a luncheon given by the Governor of Macao at Government House to-day. An "At Home" was held aboard the Seamew this afternoon.

The team of the Seamew engaged the Macao Hockey Club in a friendly encounter.

H.M.S. Seamew leaves for Hongkong at daylight to-morrow.

PALESTINE CENSORSHIP

Jerusalem, Oct. 7. Newspapers in all languages, except those from Egypt and Syria, which enter Jerusalem, will henceforth be subjected to press control under the censor, it is announced. If undesirable material is found in any of them, their sale may be prohibited.—*Reuter*.

LIBERALS WIN IN ONTARIO

Toronto, Oct. 8. Mr. Mitchell Hepburn's Liberal Government was returned to power with a wide lead in Wednesday's elections. The Liberals appear to have won 64 seats to the Conservatives' 23, Independents capturing three.

Five of Mr. Hepburn's ministers were re-elected, but the Minister of Agriculture, Mr. Duncan Marshall, and the Minister of Health, Mr. J. A. Faulkner, were defeated.—*United Press*.

BRITISH TRADE SOUND

But World Needs Confidence

Sir John Simon Optimistic

London, Oct. 7. "While there is no gainsaying the fact that the deeply disturbing events in Asia and Europe are invading the peaceful life of the world which we desire to see, the recovery which has occurred in the British trading and financial position is a solid fact that no justification to suppose the tide of our prosperity has reached its climax and is about to turn."

This heartening announcement was made by Sir John Simon at a banquet of bankers and merchants in London to-night. Sir John, however, emphasised it was an improvement in world conditions which needed to be confirmed, and that there was need to spread more widely that confidence upon which everything depends.

He rejoiced in the stability which had been maintained between the U.S. dollar and sterling and paid a tribute to the French Government for its efforts to overcome difficulties connected with the franc. He was glad to note it had already made important progress.

Sir John declined to anticipate the next Budget, but remarked that both revenue and expenditure were following the course anticipated.—*Reuter's Special*.

Concert In Aid Of Soldiers

The management of the Hongkong Hotel announces that owing to the concert to be given by the H.K. Chinese Women's Soldiers' Relief Association to-night, the grill room will not be available to the public but the usual dinner dance will be held in the roof garden instead. All ticket holders intending to be present at the charity function of the H.K. Chinese Women's Soldiers' Relief Association, are requested to reserve their tables immediately at the reception office of the Hongkong Hotel.

Must Report Delays By Armed Vessels

Master of British ships should report immediately by wireless telegraph to the Commander, Hongkong, on all occasions of being stopped or delayed by armed vessels, in addition to actual boardings. Such reports should be confirmed in writing as soon as possible.

Atmosphere Clarified, Says Saito

Relations Need Not Be Strained

Washington, Oct. 7. Mr. Saito, the Japanese Ambassador, called on Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary for State to-day, for the purpose of what was described as an exchange of information.

Subsequently Mr. Saito stated that he had not made any protest against the State Department's condemnation of Japan's action in China, but had visited Mr. Hull on his own initiative to "clear up certain points of information."

He added that he did not regard the State Department's pronouncement as likely to strain relations between America and Japan, but rather to the contrary, seeing that recent developments in the Far Eastern conflict had been calculated to bring about a better understanding between the two countries by clarifying the atmosphere.—*Reuter*.

NO NEED FOR WAR

Washington, Oct. 7. Following his conversation with Mr. Cordell Hull, the Japanese Ambassador told the press that the current Far Eastern situation would improve the relations between the United States and Japan, because it would show the common people of both countries that no possibility of war existed between them.

He said many who were uninformed, had been fearful of a conflict, but did not know the real fact that the two nations have no problems that need bring them to war.—*United Press*.

GOLF AT FANLING

Starting Times For Holidays

The following starting times for Fanling during the holiday are announced:

SUNDAY	
Old Course	
9.32 a.m.	W. Adamson, G. C. Worrell.
9.36	J. A. D. Morrison, K. S. Morrison.
9.40	L. R. Cramer, D. A. O'Kieffe.
9.44	A. E. Lissaman, I. H. Gear.
9.48	K. K. Rounds, E. T. McMullen.
9.52	F. Groves, W. G. Robertson.
9.56	J. C. G. Ferguson, P. M. Market.
10.00	P. Morrison, J. Forbes.
10.04	H. N. Williamson, N. K. Littlejohn.
10.08	Major MacDonald, Capt. Holmes.
10.12	O. J. Shannon, J. H. M. Andrew.
10.16	G. A. Leiper, C. C. Willson.
10.20	H. A. Brownning, F. H. King.
10.24	J. S. Dunnett, F. A. M. Elliot.
10.28	W. Park, I. W. Lang.
11.00	R. Hancock, G. A. Pencreath.
MONDAY	
Old Course	
9.32 a.m.	E. A. R. Newton, R. A. McKenny.
9.36	D. S. Robb, G. A. Stewart.
9.40	D. J. Gilmore, I. W. Shaw.
9.44	S. Barker, I. H. Gear.
9.48	B. J. Merahan, H. N. Williamson.
9.52	N. K. Littlejohn, J. Forbes.
9.56	E. T. McMullen, J. H. M. Andrew.
10.00	A. A. Bremner, R. L. S. Webb.
New Course	
9.36 a.m.	Mr. Webb, Miss Stevenson.

Shortage Of Seamen

Holiday Suggested To Attract Recruits

London, Oct. 7. The National Seamen's Union declares that seafarers should be granted holidays with pay in order to attract recruits.

The Union states that within the last few years 50,000 men have left the sea, causing a shortage of seamen.

It suggests that those attached to the Royal Naval Reserve should be granted one week's holiday each year, with full pay.—*Reuter*.

SMUGGLER CAUGHT

Wan Sheung, 24, unemployed, was brought before Mr. S. F. Balfour at the Central Magistracy this morning charged with possession of dutiable tobacco and importing the same. Senior Revenue Officer A. Grimmit stated that the defendant purposely went to Macao to buy tobacco and had it imported to the Colony. His Worship inflicted a fine of \$500 or six months' imprisonment, on the first count and \$200 or six months' imprisonment on the second.

FLOOD THREATENS TIENTSIN

Japanese Hurry To Move Munitions

Tientsin, Oct. 8. Tientsin city and the concessions are menaced with inundation owing to a rise in the river, which is threatening Tientsin and imposing the severest strain on the Grand Canal flood protection dyke.

Breaches in the Grand Canal and the Tzayaho have flooded an area between these two rivers from Tientsin southward to Tchow, where the waters are flowing towards Haiho.

The situation is aggravated by a breach in the Grand Canal south of Tulluchen whence a large volume of water is flooding the countryside south of Tientsin, which, it is feared, will overflow the Tsingpu branch line, forming part of the flood protection dyke. It was in this manner that Tientsin was similarly flooded in 1917.

The water lapping the banks of the Chinese city in the vicinity of the Governor's Yamen, where the Japanese military authorities are hastily transporting munitions and war stores in junks and barges to the Grand Canal.

The accumulation of Japanese military stores on the Russian Bund have been similarly removed by hosts of lorries.—*Reuter*.

VIOLINIST'S ARM, FINGERS BROKEN

Palembang, Oct. 7. An X-ray examination yesterday revealed that Mr. Bronislaw Huberman, the famous violinist, who was involved in an air crash here, has his left arm and two finger bones in the right hand broken.—*Reuter's Special*.

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DEATH PENALTY DEMANDED

Shanghai, Oct. 8.

Chinese authorities in Shanghai have cabled the military authorities at Nanking demanding the death penalty for General Chang Tze-chung, former Mayor of Tientsin, who is blamed for the loss of Peking and Tientsin.

Meanwhile General Chang is reported to have arrived at the capital from Shantung in the custody of Chao Teh-chung, representative of General Sun Chieh-yuan, and Chang Yuch, representative of General Han Fu-chu.

It is stated that General Chang will be tried before Generalissimo Chiang, former Mayor of Tientsin, Chong Kai-shek.—*Reuter*.

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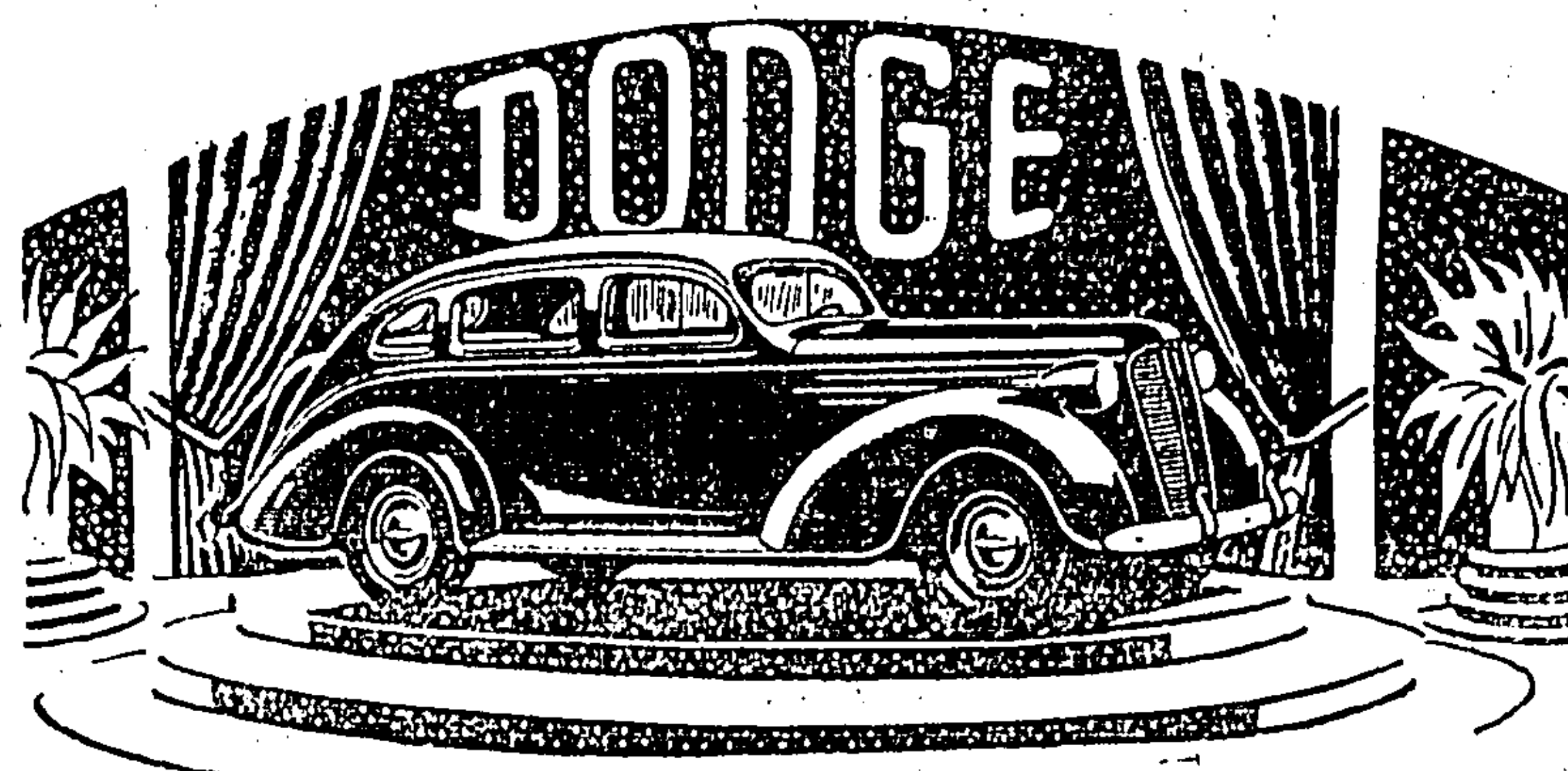
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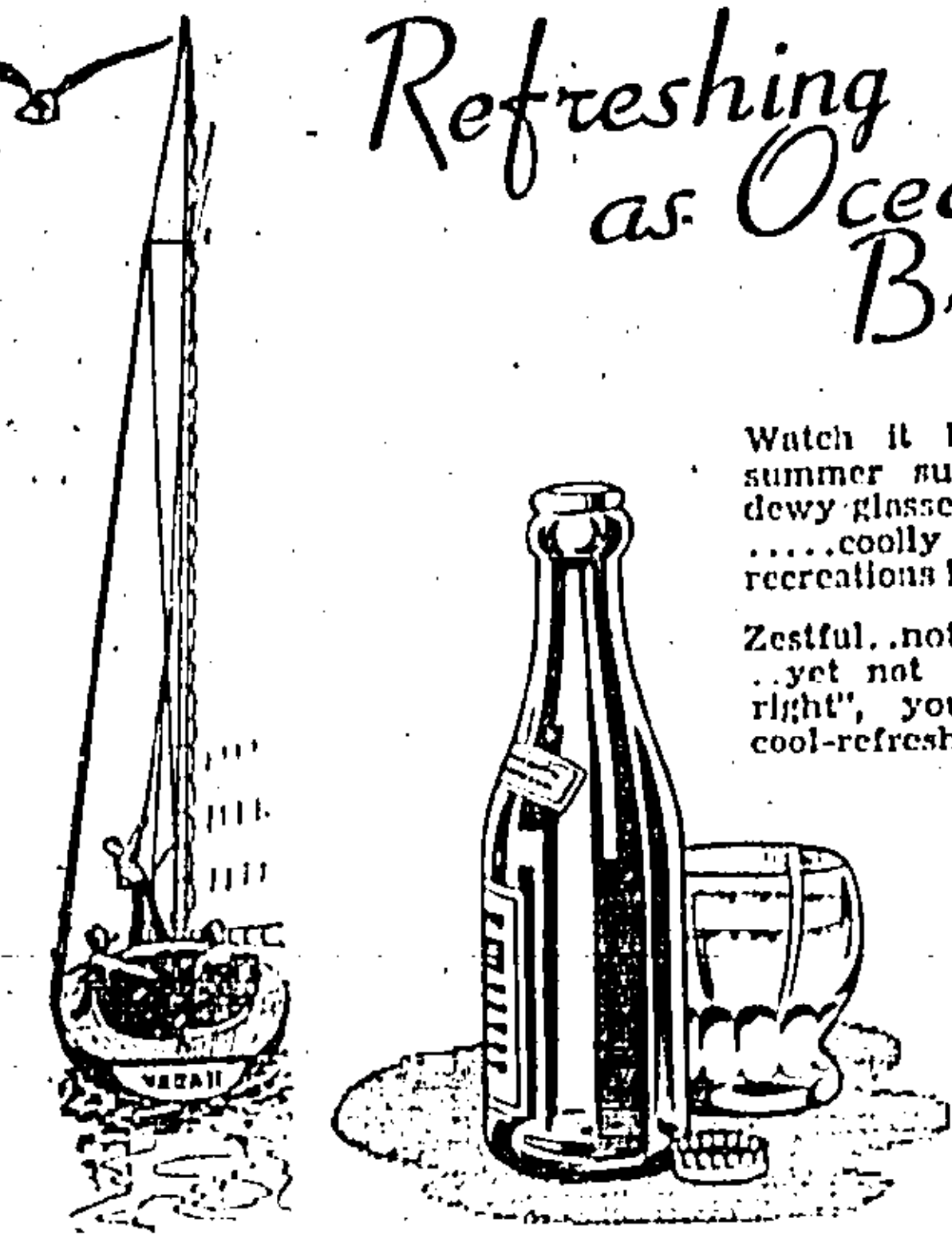
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DEATH

REMEDIOS.—On 7th October, 1937, Suterio Maria dos Remedios, aged 37 years. Funeral will pass the Monument at 5.30 p.m. to-day. No flowers by request.

**The
Hongkong Telegraph.**

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 8, 1937.

REFUGEE PROBLEM

Hongkong must look to some of the Chinese refugees fresh from the horror of the Japanese bombing attacks in Kwangtung, like an oasis to a desert traveler perishing of thirst. There is safety here; and in our charity our doors are not barred to anyone. We would be poor humans indeed who did not listen to the cry for sanctuary. And yet common-sense warns that there must be a limit to the number of fugitives we can safely absorb. In this we are not thinking of ourselves any more than of those who seek safety under our flag. Somewhere there must be a point of saturation, beyond which it would be unwise, if not dangerous, to allow the Colony's population to expand.

The obvious remedy, it must be supposed, is to estimate the number of persons of all classes we can decently house and feed; allow a reasonable margin for an emergency; then shut the doors against immigration. At the time of writing there are no figures available accurately reckoning the surplus population, so it is impossible to judge whether or not the need for action is immediate. We would be no more than guessing if we were to say it is. A check of figures of the Kowloon-Canton Railway reveals that while there is a small, preponderance of in-bound passenger traffic, it is not in any way alarming. Almost as many persons are travelling in the other direction daily. Where the check is needed is on the multitude of junks and steamers which every month bring thousands of passengers to Hongkong. How many of these people remain here? Presumably there is some means of discovering. It is a fact that shipping companies bringing in refugees must see that they are put aboard the train to Canton, and we suppose that this is a measure to avoid overcrowding. But there is nothing to prevent these people coming back again. The figures from the Kowloon-Canton railway, therefore, tell us nothing. Or, at least, they tell us that possibly 2,000 persons a day are coming to this Colony from various parts of China; but do not prove it. If there is any means of discovering exactly how many persons are arriving in Hongkong by

"RADIATOR"

In London now is a man who gets 40,000 letters a day: they call him second biggest man in America.

TWO Americans who both look good in different ways are taking a change of air in London: Robert Taylor, twenty-six; and Father Charles E. Coughlin (he says it Kawglin), forty-six.

You have to know about Robert Taylor, but you are one in several thousands if you know anything about Father Coughlin. Of ten people asked only one identified him as the man who got himself ranked the second most powerful man in the United States just by talking on the radio.

Father Coughlin gets more fan mail than Mr. Taylor would get if he lived a million years. Coughlin gets 300,000 letters a week. He may not be so much to look at, but women fight just as hard to get near him as Robert Taylor.

THE New York Times estimates that his four o'clock Sunday afternoon broadcasts, when he preaches against Communism and Capitalism and a lot of other things, are listened to by 30,000,000 people. Coughlin pays \$4,000 a week to forty-one radio stations for time to talk on the air.

That money comes out of the \$500,000 a year sent in by his fans. One fan letter in five contains money, maybe a stamp, maybe a thousand-dollar bill.

He claims 9,000,000 followers in his National Union for Social Justice.

Why, one can't imagine. He has no glittering personality. He just hits the spot.

He kept in hiding after his arrival in England, sightseeing in London, often alone.

BUT later on he came up for a breadth of the publicity which has made him, and held a Press reception at his Knightsbridge hotel.

He looks like just another priest, middle height, plump, quiet, spectacled, knowing and complacent. He sat quietly in the corner of a sofa and talked for two and a quarter hours.

WHAT is the story of this man who has drawn countless audiences of 20,000 people at meetings, paying two shillings to eight shillings just to hear him?

He was born in Ontario in 1891, the son of an American sexton and his American wife.

Roman Catholic priests educated him, and he took a degree at Toronto University.

He spoke and played football forcefully. He danced for the last time in 1914, except for the few steps he took in the steamer coming over here with Maureen

junk and train and steamer, and how many are departing again by these mediums, we shall obviously discover where we stand, and whether the problem of overcrowding is becoming menacing.

We have ascertained definitely, however, that the influx of foreign refugees has been diminished almost to vanishing point. Probably as many are leaving as are coming in. There is no longer a real problem here. A very few are still being cared for by friends; fewer still are at the end of their resources. There are 322 persons at Laidlaw and 80 at the old Central British School, but if any of them lack means they are charges of the British Government, not of ours. At one time there were 728 of these homeless unfortunates here.

Frankly, our problem is the Chinese refugee. Even if the Nanking Government makes it self responsible for them, there is limited accommodation. Misery and disease come with over-crowding of living quarters. And the question of food supplies and the cost of living adds just another complicating factor to the situation. We hope that the competent authority has an eye to the situation. We are in the dark, and feel there may be cause for real concern.



As Mr. Collins he arrived in England

O'Sullivan, wife of his writer friend John Farrow.

He decided to go in for the Church, was ordained in 1916, ordered to start a new parish near Detroit in 1926.

With \$15,000 advanced by the Church he built a small barn-like church, the Shrine of the Little Flower, dedicated to St. Theresa, his favourite saint because she was "such a fine little girl" who devoted her life to prayer for the world. Father Coughlin is going to France this week to visit her shrine.

He lived in the twelve-foot-square sacristy of the church.

Then he had the greatest idea of his life. He decided to preach over the radio, a pretty new idea at this time.

He still had about \$1,000 of his building fund in the bank, so he went to his friend Leo Fitzpatrick, of the Detroit radio station WJR, and asked for time. Fitzpatrick gave him fifty-two radio hours for the money, which only covered the costs.

He got permission from Bishop Gallagher and made his first broadcast. He got only eight fan letters in reply.

BUT things soon looked up. The old lady at whose house he took breakfast, Mrs. Catherine Brievogel, now eighty-seven, got some twenty friends together and founded the Radio League.

Three weeks after, he says, he happened to mention the good work of the league during his Sunday talk, and there was an immediate and gratifying cash response. After two years his fan mail was in thousands. A girl, Eugenia Burke, started helping him with his letters.

Then he started reviling unemployment, mass production, and unequal distribution of wealth. Sometimes he got 1,000,000 letters a week, and money, money, money.

With the Wall-street crash came his triumph. He slated Capitalists and Communists alike, called individual business men like Mellon names like Judas Iscariot. He took just the right line in exploiting prejudices and ramming home his creed that "there is enough of everything in this country except money."



As Father Coughlin he broadcasts to thirty million Americans

HOW does he live himself?

He gets up at 6 a.m. (after going to bed at one), conducts Mass at seven, takes a glass of orange juice for breakfast.

He works all the morning, dividing his attention between his newspaper, which has an editorial staff of twenty (and which loses \$40,000 a year), the accounting department, which also has a staff of twenty, and the various other departments of his offices, which have a staff of 150, and are largely run by his private secretaries, four girls who have been with him nine years. He pays top rates to all his employees.

FATHER COUGHLIN, beaming from the soft cushions of his settee in the Hyde Park Hotel, his fresh, plump face tanned by his trip aboard the Empress of Britain, talked about his personal expenditure.

"I have my keep, my meals and laundry, along with the other eight priests at the Shrine of the Little Flower," he said. "That costs £3 to £4 a week—certainly not more."

"I have my pocket money—about a pound a week for cigarettes, petrol and a visit to the cinema or theatre. I have no bank account—never have had. I refuse to handle any of the money myself. The congregation bought my car. It's a Ford."

"When I left on holiday I was given my ticket and £80 to spend. Not a lot in nine years, eh?"

Father Coughlin is pleased at the thought of getting along so well on so little money.

He says that no man was ever more astonished at his success.

"I'm no radio star, never pretended to be. I prefer speaking in church, without the radio. There you have the advantage of gestures. On the radio you have to dramatise your sermons. You have to use different voices."

He explained how Charles Penman, a young radio engineer, regulates all his broadcasts, sits in church while Father Coughlin talks from the pulpit or carries his travelling microphone among the children, watching for a signal to tune his voice into an inspiring crescendo, for a flick of the finger that means "Fade me out to a whisper."

WHEN Father Coughlin first went to the parish there were thirty-two families worshipping at the church of the Shrine of the Little Flower. Nowadays it seats 3,100.

It is so big that there are two pulpits—one at each end. Often there is a priest in each—one "the Devil's Advocate," the other the Christian. "The Christian always wins the argument in the last quarter of an hour," smiled Father Coughlin.

Sometimes Father Coughlin's weekly broadcast raises such a furor of controversy, brings in such a flood of letters, that he deliberately chooses a less exciting and less popular topic for his next address so that the staff can keep pace with the mail.

WHAT is the secret of his success?

Well, there is a great audience for any man who thinks you should be paid whether you work or not.

Should a man, he asks, be paid only while he works or should he be paid a living wage?

"I do not like the idea of women going out to work," he says. "A woman's place is in the home. Every husband should be paid enough to support his wife and a minimum of three children in frugal comfort and in his own home."

"A man must have his own home. Flat life is artificial. It does not help husband and wife to maintain their love for one another. It's a breeder of discontent. Without children husbands going out to work, he says. band and wife soon lose love for one another. In your days of courtship you love a girl. You love her most sincerely. But after five or six years you take her for granted. She takes her husband for granted."

"But your love for your child never cools. Your child may become a scapegoat but you still love your child, always."

"That is the basis of patriotism. That is why men fight. They fight for home, family, children, parents, for the hills they remember round their birthplace. No Government is worth fighting for..."

In those words Father Coughlin, who protests he is no politician, never will be a politician, and only mentions politics when they interlock with religion, gives the secret of his success.

BESIDES, Father Coughlin is a shrewd and careful man. While he talked to reporters an attractive blonde with a big notebook wrote everything down in shorthand. "I always arrange that," says Father Coughlin. "Er, you see I have been misreported so often ... in America."

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SHOWING TO-MORROW
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THE **ALHAMBRA**

Bishop Says 'More Women Than Men Means Trouble'

WAR UPSET, MAY RESTORE, THE BALANCE

Women were held to be responsible—either directly or indirectly—for present-day sex problems by Dr. Barnes, Bishop of Birmingham, at a recent Conference of Modern Churchmen at Girton College, Cambridge.

Why? Because there are more women than men. What is the effect of that? Immorality, according to Dr. Barnes. Why? Because of the inequality between men and women, an inequality due to destruction of men in the war.

Providence, said Dr. Barnes, so disposes it that an equal number of girl and boy babies are born. Destroy that equality and you must expect sex difficulties.

You must get rid of such wars as impair the balance of the sexes. Said the bishop: "From the point of view of sexual morality in the future the airplane is valuable in that it destroys men and women in equal numbers."

WOMEN MIGHT GO TO THE TRENCHES

"It is possible, too, now that the old lady has learned to drive a motor-car, that it will be found that she can be put in the trenches instead of the young men."

"When word comes by radio that the enemy is going over the top the old lady in the trenches, with her hot water bottle and air-cushion, will advance, adjust her spectacles to the periscope, and, at the appropriate moment, touch a button which will fire a battery of machine-guns in her charge. The enemy will be repulsed."

"If we have a development of that kind then war may not lead to disorderly sex morality."

But Dr. Barnes added that he was not saying that he advocated even such a modified type of war.

Flying By Sun, Moon And Stars

Britain's civil air pilots, especially those who may in future be concerned with operating the Transatlantic service, are eagerly awaiting the publication this month of a series of astronomical tables—the first attempt ever made, it is believed, to apply the technique of sea navigation by the sun and stars to the requirements of flying.

The tables, which are being published by the Air Ministry, have been prepared by the Nautical Almanac Office under the direction of the Astronomer Royal. They mark the first stage in a task of sky-guiding which is expected to take three years to complete, says the Daily Mail.

Up to the present the two principal methods of air navigation have been: "Dead reckoning"—the determination of an aircraft's position by means of the compass; and the use of radio direction signals.

Both methods have been found to be not always adequate, especially on long-distance flights. "Dead reckoning" seldom gives accurate results, while wireless direction-finding signals are limited in range.

SIMPLE SYSTEM

For years it has been realised that "true navigation" by the sun and stars would be distinctly preferable to both these methods, but so far it has been little used—chiefly because of the difficult calculations it involves.

The basis of the system is that a single observation of the height of any heavenly body above the horizon can be used by the navigator to obtain a straight line along which his present position must lie.

Two observations on two different heavenly bodies at the same time, or on the same body at an interval of two hours or more—will therefore give the point at which the machine must be.

The simplification of the calculations necessary will be a boon to individual pilots and a work of supreme importance to the safety of aviation as a whole.

The new tables, to be issued this month, are based on the positions of the sun, moon, four planets, and about 50 selected stars.

Published in tear-off form, they will contain the necessary sheets for the last three months of this year, and with their help it is believed that any pilot will, with very little difficulty, be able to discover his position to within 5 or 10 miles.

THE AWFUL TOLL OF WAR



MOONLIGHT WALK MURDER SOLVED: BLONDE AS LURE

Chicago, Sept. 9. POLICE announced to-day that the murder of Robert Lee as he sat in the park in the moonlight with blonde night club singer Lucille Buehler had been solved in every detail.

Scores of lovely models, dancers, and other girls questioned by the police have revealed yet another crime racket.

It is alleged that Buehler lured Lee to a certain bench. A few minutes later her friend Leonard Dosey, with Tony Sapponezo and Albert Minella, came up, tried to get Lee's wallet.

Lee struggled and was shot—by Sapponezo, say the two others in their confessions to the police.

All three are under arrest, but the district attorney is out to get Buehler indicted too—on the capital charge.

Lieutenant Thomas Kelly, in charge of the investigations, says: "More than thirty pretty girls have been used as lures during the past few months by racketeers. The girls, who mostly worked in night clubs, took men out for a stroll to a prearranged spot, then contacted their crooked boy friends."

"TEMPERAMENTAL" R.A.F. OFFICER DOCTORS DISAGREE ON DRINK QUESTION ARREST AFTER CAR BREAKDOWN

Squadron-Ldr. John Woodburn Gillan, 30, of No. 601 Squadron, R.A.F., Hendon, elected to go for trial when he was charged at Marylebone recently with being under the influence of drink while in charge of an aircraft. There was a conflict of medical evidence, says the Daily Telegraph.

He was arrested at 5.30 a.m. in Davenport Street, W., where his car had broken down.

Dr. Alexander Balldie, divisional surgeon, giving evidence of the officer's condition, said he was irascible, confused, at times facetious, and occasionally lapsed into drowsiness.

He had had an aeroplane crash six weeks before, and was injured in the legs. Such a crash would render him susceptible to the effects of alcohol. The doctor considered that he was under the influence of drink.

Squadron-Ldr. Gillan, who denied the charge, called Dr. J. Hugh Williams, an auxiliary medical officer in the Air Force, in his defence.

ABLE TO STAND ON ONE LEG Dr. Williams said that he attended the accused after his plane crash at Hendon, and knew his medical history. He was very temperamental.

He examined him at the police station," added Dr. Williams. "He was in a violent temper, and was stamping up and down the place."

"His pulse, owing to his anger, was 90, but his speech was quite normal, and he was able to stand steadily on one leg with hands outstretched and eyes closed. I came to the conclusion that he was not under the influence of drink."

Cross-examined, Dr. Williams said that a few hours before Squadron-Ldr. Gillan's arrest he had dined with him and other officers. He was quite sober then.

Mr. Bushell, defending, submitted that in view of the conflict in medical evidence, there was no case for the jury.

As stated, the accused was committed for trial.

Soldier Twins Keep Sergeant Guessing

"Uniforms are often masks..." said Wellington. WHAT the sergeant said when confronted on the Royal Fusiliers' barrack square at Hounslow with the grinning twins, Privates Henry and James Worsford—more alike than ever in brand-new uniforms—is less quotable.

Henry and James, 17 years old, inseparable, joined the Army a few days ago, but to all intents and purposes, the world will see only one Private Worsford.

For they are so much alike that a sergeant who gave one Worsford fatigues for being late on parade would be none the wiser when the other did the punishment.

With their 11 brothers and sisters, they lived until a few days ago at Goldsmith Road, Peckham, S.E. Then they decided that they would like to join the Army under the new "six-months trial" scheme, says the Daily Mail.

"This is a grand life," said Pte. Henry—or was it James—"and although we have only been in the army a few days we intend to rejoin after our six months' trial period is up, and we hope to do 21 years together in this regiment."

One wonders what the sergeant thinks. Twenty-one years of a duplicate Private Worsford, must be a very, very long time.

Other men in the squad have discovered one difference in the twins which gives James away.

"We have never been parted since we were born," said James, pointing up an object automatically with his left hand, so he was known.

WATCHMAN CATCHES DOCKYARD THIEF

Stopped by a Kowloon Docks watchman as he was leaving the Docks on Thursday afternoon, Wong Kwun, 21, was found to have two lengths of electric wire cable wound around his legs. Appearing before Mr. K. M. A. Barnett at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning, he admitted two previous convictions, and was sentenced to two months' hard labour.

Police Sergeant Paton said that each length of wire was 34 feet long. The wire had been stolen from No. 1 Drydock.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

Choi Oi-shing, 34, of Wong Yu Tung village, Tai-po, was sent to the Kwong Wai Hospital yesterday, suffering from suspected cholera.

Charged with possession of 100 dutiable cigars at the Wing Lok Wharf, Tang Luk-hing, 35, married woman, appeared before Mr. S. F. Balfour at the Central Magistracy this morning, she was fined \$40.

Falling from the first floor of No. 105 Belcher Street, which is used as a featherworks, Tong Chai-siu, 28, a woman, was removed to the Queen Mary Hospital suffering from a fractured left thigh and injuries to the head. She had stepped on a trap door which gave way.

Bombs, shells and bullets rained on and around this lorry near Shanghai and all the Chinese soldiers it was conveying to the front were killed. Here is one of the most dramatic pictures that has come out of the undeclared war between Japan and China. Machine-gun bullet and shrapnel holes may be seen in the truck, which was caught in a cross-fire. Bodies are better-skeller.

U. S. Will Not Lead Nations To Conference

Washington, Oct. 7. Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, has emphatically indicated that the United States will not take the initiative in convoking the proposed Far Eastern conference, and has added that he is ignorant of any European moves to convene the conference at Washington.

Other sources indicated the United States would prefer to have the parley called in Europe, since if it were at Washington it might give the impression that the American Government was taking the initiative.

Mr. Hull added, however, that the United States might be expected to participate in such a conference of Nine-Power Treaty signatories and adherents if and when she was invited.—United Press.

BLUEBIRD TO GO ON VIEW

London, Oct. 7.

Sir Malcolm Campbell's speed boat Bluebird, in which he achieved a world record of 129.5 miles per hour on Lake Maggiore earlier this year, will be on view at the great new Exhibition Building at Earls Court next week, when the 31st International Motor Exhibition opens there on Thursday.—British Wireless.

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12.00-12.20 p.m. Relay of Special Service from St. John's Cathedral. 12.30 Ambrose and His Orchestra. 12.50 Leslie Hutchinson at the Piano.

1.00 Time and Weather. 1.03 Irish Music. 1.21 Carroll Gibbons (Piano) and His Boy Friends.

1.30 Reuter and Rugby Press; Weather and Announcements. 1.40 Songs by Paul Robeson (Bass).

1.53 Hawaiian Music. 2.15 Close Down. 4-7 p.m. Chinese Programme. 7.00 Latest Dance Records.

Slow Fox-Trots—Goodnight My Lucky Day (film "23½ Hours' Leave") The Mood That You In... Carroll Gibbons and the Savoy Hotel Orchestra; Fox-Trot—I Saw A Ship A-Sailing; Waltz—The Greatest Mistake Of My Life... Henry Jacques with His Correct Dance Tempo Orchestra; Fox-Trots—Love Is Good For Anything That Ails You (film "The 11th Parade"); A Sailboat In The Moonlight... Orlando and His Orchestra; Fox-Trot—My Honey's Lovin' Arms; Quick Step—Avon... Vol Rosing and His Swing Stars; Fox-Trots—A Little Love, A Little Kiss; Body And Soul... Quintette Of The Hot Club Of France. 7.30 Stock Quotations and Hong-kong Exchange Market Report. 7.35 Variety.

Humorous—Christmas Day In The Cook House... Billy Bennett; Please Let Me Sleep On Your Doorstep Tonight... Billy Bennett and His Kerstone Quartette; Vocal—Sweet Heartache (film "11th Parade"); Where Is The Sun? (Richard and David)... Les Allen; Humorous—Trailing Around In A Trailer; Sold The Little Brown Hen (Gifford and Cliff)... George Formby and His Ukulele; Piano W. Orchestra—I Was Anything But Sentimental (film "Take My Tip"); To-morrow Is Another Day (film "A Day at the Races")... Carroll Gibbons and His Boy Friends.

8.00 Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements. 8.03 Studio—Muriel Portallion (Contralto) accompanied by Clair Shand.

1. Come Take Thy Lute... Michael Head; 2. A Prayer to our Lady... Donald Ford; 3. Now Sleeps the Crimson Petal... Quilter; 4. Songs My Mother Taught Me... Dvorak; 5. To Music... Schubert.

8.20 Orchestral. Redemption (Cesar Franck)... The Lamoureux Orchestra, Paris conductor: Albert Wolff.

8.30 Studio—Piano Recital by Marcello Hrovatin Chopin. 1. Valse; 2. Nocturne—Posthumous; 3. Two Mazurkas; 4. Polonaise Op. 53.

8.50 Studio—A talk by Professor Forster on Lunch With The Generalissimo and Madame Chiang Kai-shek. 9.10 Rimsky-Korsakov Compositions.

Capriccio Espagnol, Op. 34... The Lamoureux Orchestra of Paris, conducted by Albert Wolff; The Golden Cockerell (The Wedding March)... The Lamoureux Orchestra of Paris, conducted by Albert Wolff; Sadko—Chanson Hindoue... Marcel Mule (Saxophone).

9.30 London Relay—The News and Announcements. 9.50 Tchaikovsky Concerto In D Minor, Op. 35.

Played by Heifetz (Violin) and The London Philharmonic Orchestra conducted by John Barbirolli. 10.23 Backhaus (Piano).

Waltz In D Flat, Op. 64, No. 1; Etude In C Major, Op. 10, No. 7 (Chopin); Waldenrauschen (Liszt). 10.32 Light Variety.

Orchestral—Souvenir De Pausilippe (Godfrey Andolfi); A Frangese! (Mario Costa)... Orchestre Napoleon; Vocal—Love Song (Beccacek-Knor); All I Do Is For Love Of You (Fenyes-Gesner)... Herbert E. Grah (Tenor); Orchestral—Old Vienna Melodies (Pollack)... Edith Lorand and Her Viennese Orchestra; Vocal—L'Hotel Du Clair De Lune (Simonot and Gerard); Le Tango Des Filles (Delettre and Bayle)... Lucienne Boyer; Orchestral—Za Zoo Za (Shay-Holzer-Simon-Large)... Herbie Kay and His Orchestra.

11.00 Close Down.

KOWLOON TONG SUPPER DANCE RELIEF FUNDS FOR WAR SUFFERERS

A buffet supper dance will be held by the Kowloon Tong Garden City Association at the Club House, Waterloo Road, Kowloon, Tong, on Saturday, October 16, from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.

All proceeds will be contributed to Relief Funds in aid of war sufferers and refugees in North China.

Tickets are obtainable at the Club at \$3.00 each. The band of Micky's Melody Makers will be in attendance.

COMMANDS HOME FLEET

London, Oct. 7. Admiral Sir Charles Forbes has been appointed Commander-in-Chief of the Home Fleet in succession to Sir Roger Backhouse, the appointment to date from March, 1936.—Reuter.



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TWO-DAY RACE MEET FOR THE WEEK-END

LIBERTY BAY NOT TO TAKE PART IN PRINCIPAL EVENT

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GOOD RESPONSE TO SWEEP SALES

The Eighth Extra Race Meeting, better known among the racing fraternity as the "Double Tenth Meeting", will be held to-morrow and on Monday. The first saddling will be on each day at 1.30 p.m., sharp. Being a two-day affair, the cost of a thorough cash-sweep



P. P. Botelho still on the injured list.

ticket is \$18, and I understand that very good response has been received.

The major race, the October Handicap for China ponies, and seven other handicap events feature the programme of the first day's racing and, judging by the allotment of the avoidpools by the official handicapper, it looks as if we are going to have a good day's sport with a lot of thrills.

It is learned that Mr. L. P. Ralph will be seen in the saddle but Mr. P. P. Botelho is still on the injured list.

Jordan Handicap

Senior Jockeys For First Section

The Jordan Handicap for "D" class China ponies has attracted 30 nominations, but the entries have been sub-divided in two divisions at the discretion of the Handicapper and he has assigned 15 to the first section. At the last meeting the "D" riders were ridden by novices, but to-morrow the senior jockeys will be on top. I expect to see a big field, but it is not easy to pick the winner. Laughing Gid, who went well in the Junk Bay Handicap, is not included in the list of entries, but the mare has been entered for the Hunan Handicap to be run on Monday, and she is worth the investment of \$5 each way. I like Plain View after his running in the Junk Bay Handicap when he finished second to Diogenes and my next fancy is Sylvandale with Mr. Pih up.

DONALD BLACK RETURNS Riding In Opening Event

The absence of Mr. Donald Black was much felt at the last meeting, but his appearance to-morrow in the Commencement Bay in the opening event, the Camarvon Handicap over a mile, should receive some support in the pari-mutuel, for this grey gelding of Mr. L. Dunbar has to carry only 140 lbs. After the brilliant performance in the Island Bay Handicap (First Section) run on September 25, Mr. B. Proulx has again been asked to pilot King's Coronation in this race and the mare has only 153 lbs. to shoulder. It might not be known that last Saturday morning King's Coronation was given a try-out with her stable companion, King's Warden, and the mare came out with flying colours in the test. King's Warden (Russian boy) was sent over the champion course, but King's Coronation (Mr. Proulx) joined the champion pony at the mile beacon. The mile was run in 2.10.1/2, coming home in 2.04.5 and the last half-mile was covered in 1.01.4/5. Rounding the turn into the straight, it appeared as if King's Coronation could not keep the pace, but after the mile staff, the two steeds increased their speed and the finish of King's Coronation together with her stable mate was much discussed after the trial. On her successful running at the last meeting, coupled with the wonderful feat in the try-out, I cannot see how she can fail to-morrow. Of course the position will come from "One and Seaside View, both being in concert pitch. The former appeared once in public on May 17 when Sir Vandeleur Grayburn's black stallion ran into a third place behind Seaside View and Apilas in the Beauclere Plate, but to-morrow he is the stable "Why's" representative, and it is to be hoped that the change of colours will bring good luck. His gallop of last Saturday, covering the mile in 2.10.2/5 with a strong finish, must be considered and Ouse will be ridden by Mr. Pih.

FIRST LEG OF THE DOUBLE Red Feather Sure To Be Prominent

The first leg of the daily double is on the Nathan Handicap for "B" class China ponies over one and a quarter miles. Mention was made in my last racing notes about the poor display of certain "B" riders in the Tweed Island Bay Handicap and, judging by the morning works at the Valley, it looks to me that we shall see a better race to-morrow among this bunch. Expansion Time is taking a rest, but Red Feather is in with only 140 lbs. to carry. I am not recommending Red Feather as an outsider, but I would like readers of the Telegraph to bear in mind that Mrs. Dunbar's griffin of this season gave Potentate a good thrashing in the Black Rock Stakes and also to Rosemary in the American Club Cup, both successes being on level terms at the Annual Carnival. We are all aware that some ponies come late to form, but nevertheless Red Feather has a pull of 12 lbs. to-morrow against Potentate and if the former can reproduce his form of the big meeting, Red Feather surely must have some say in the matter. New Star is looking well and so is Havoc Eve.

"Capt. Foster" Reviews The Prospects

MAIN EVENT OF DAY Liberty Bay Not Running

Liberty Bay has not been entered for the main event, the October Handicap for China ponies over the champion course, but it is reliably learned that this bay gelding of Mr. L. Dunbar is quite sound and the owner is reserving the undefeated champion for the 1938 Annual Meeting. In his absence, the connections have Bear Claw, Diana Bay and Wild Life to represent them, but I have very good reason to doubt that Bear Claw will accept. He has been called upon to concede seven pounds to Dynasty's King's Warden over one and a quarter miles whereas in the Double Tenth Plate to be contested on Monday, the run is a sprint from the 1 1/2 mile post and Bear Claw jumps into action faster than King's Warden. Both will have to tip the scale at 161 lbs. on the basis of weight for inches and the first prize in both events is \$750 each. While on the subject, I think that King's Warden will not start in the Double Tenth Plate. It is safe to assume that Mr. Dunbar is relying upon Wild Life to do the trick for the mare had the satisfaction of trouncing King's Warden in the May Handicap run at the Whitsun meeting. At that time King's Warden was giving a stone to Wild Life, but to-morrow the difference of weights between these two racers is only 7 lbs. and it is pretty hard to say at this juncture with any degree of certainty which animal is in better condition. I have not much information to pass about Happy Eve, the winner of this year's Hongkong Derby, but she must not be under-estimated, for the training of this stable is entirely different from others. However, Happy Eve was second to Bear Claw in the Easter Stakes when they both surprised King's Warden. Diana Bay is nicely weighted and should be respected. Cosack's Beauty is in fine fettle and has been kindly treated, and so is Soldier of Britain with the lowest limit. I figure that Bear Claw will be reserved for the Double Tenth Plate and I therefore nominate King's Warden to win the October Handicap.

STRATHROY GIVEN A HANDFUL

Liberal Allowance To Rivals

One can hardly believe that Able Amazon, the winner of many classics to her credit, has been allotted the lowest impost in the Canberra Handicap for Australian "A" class ponies over a distance from the two mile post, once round and in, and the mighty Strathroy holds the post of honour with the limit load of 165 lbs. The difference of 30 lbs. will not only give the latter something to think about but it will force Strathroy to keep a sharp look-out on Election, Gypsy Love, Home Brew and Lancashire Chips, all of whom have been given liberal allowances. Able Amazon ran a good race to come in third at the last meeting, but being a sprint, it was not possible to gauge whether the mare had staged a comeback. When they met in the Coronation Handicap on May 13, Strathroy, who captured the Coronation Cup, was giving a stone and a half to Lancashire Chips and Gypsy Love, but at that time Mr. Macgregor's aspirant had a clean bill of health while Lancashire Chips and Gypsy Love had had too much racing. At any rate, Strathroy did not have a good summer owing to skin trouble and he started to work late. I am inclined to believe that he is short of a gallon and this may discount his chance. The best race of the afternoon will be seen here.

Home Football Result

London, Oct. 7. Playing in the Southern Section of the Third Division of the English Football League, Notts County, at home, defeated Mansfield by two goals to nil to-day.—*Reuter*.

Lawn Bowls

K.C.C. TO ENTERTAIN K.B.G.C.

Kowloon Cricket Club lawn bowlers are reminded that the return match with the Kowloon Bowling Green Club will be played on Monday afternoon next, beginning at 2.30.

Half a dozen rinks will be played, and all K.C.C. members are invited to participate.

The first of these friendly matches was a big success and it is hoped the return will be equally as successful.

KING'S PARADE BACK TO "D"

Little Chance Of Winning Event

With the exception of a few old runners such as King's Parade, Mountain View, 17th of September and Stopwatch, the weight controller has assigned 11 sub-griffins of the Jordan Handicap for "D" class and the faint is from the two mile post, once round and in. King's Parade has come back to join his old brigade after winning an "E" class event at the last meeting, but I am afraid he will find the sub-griffins of this season too strong. The inclusion of 17th of September and Stopwatch in this division has presented a fascinating problem, but the former is "going dodgy" and Stopwatch is the real danger. Mountain View's last outing at the Portuguese colony was a complete failure, but the Valley Handicapper has ignored the performance and Mountain View has to carry 163 lbs. He was, however, second to Shipmaster in the Shanghai Handicap (second section) run during the Coronation week but he has now to concede only seven pounds to Shipmaster, and has a sporting chance to turn the tables. Shipmaster will have his usual jockey, Mr. Black, instead of Mr. S. C. Liang, while Mr. Deitz will have the same mount on Tempest. My fancy is Tempest.

SECOND LEG OF DAILY DOUBLE

Only Half A Dozen Entries

The Katoomba Handicap for "C" class ponies has been selected as the second leg of the daily double event, but very poor response has been received in the way of entries, there being only seven entrants. It would have been much nicer if the previous race had been substituted, for punters prefer to have a long bill of fare than a short list as the former will undoubtedly encourage more speculation. However, the run in the last "C" event was a short sprint, but to-morrow the contest is over a mile. Discovery Bay makes her first appearance among this section and I see no reason why she should not present her card to the judges. This mare was at one time much fancied for the big classic, but as luck would have it, she finished among the "also rans" and has, to date, a sequence of unplaced outings. Her last one was in the Cabramatta Handicap run on May 29 when she slipped and unseated her jockey, Mr. Gregory. Discovery Bay is a sister to Roostly, the sire being Fernkloof, and these two cobs should be well up at the finish. As a miller, Twilight Star has proved his capability and is worth \$5 each way. Brutus has been handicapped more or less according to his win in the Gosford Handicap, but he will have to be all out to resist the challenge of Discovery Bay, Roostly and Twilight Star. As an outsider, Beat That is recommended.

Last Race Should Go To King's Lead

In the last event, the Austin Handicap for "C" class China ponies, which will be ridden by novices, King's Lead, who was recently demoted from "B" standard, should have no difficulty in registering the first win of the season for Mr. Pearce, and Rob Roy and Bootst Day should fill the minor places.

MAMAK TOURNAMENT RESUMPTION ARRANGED FOR THE END OF OCTOBER

GREAT INTEREST STILL BEING MAINTAINED

(By "The Pilgrim")

With the formation of the United Hockey Tournament towards the end of last season, most clubs seemed doubtful as to whether the Mamak Tournament would function this year. I am sure all clubs are pleased that this, the oldest and most popular tournament open to all clubs in the Colony, will definitely function and will commence the 1937-38 season on or about October 20.

Great interest is being maintained in the Tournament. This is shown by the number of entries which have been received this season. So far 15 teams have joined; they are as follows:—Royal Corps of Signals, Seaforths H.Q. Wing, Seaforths "A" Coy., Seaforths "B" Coy., Seaforths "C" Coy., Seaforths "D" Coy., R.A.O.C. Glia, Seaforths "E" Coy., Mule Corps, Police Indian, H.M.S. Taranaki, Japanese, H.M.S. Wai, Rajput 5/6 "B" Coy., British (Submarine), Nomas, and the Radio Sports Club, last year's champions.

Four Navy teams are anxious to participate. This question will be decided at the next meeting to be held on October 13. If they are included, the total number of teams will be 19.

THE COMMITTEE

Under the able guidance of Capt. G. W. P. Kinn, who is again Chairman this season, there is no reason why the Tournament should not be a successful one. The Committee consists of:

President—Rev. J. R. Higgs. Vice-Presidents—Lieut. Command. Dowerman and Capt. Stapleton. Hon. Secretary—Mr. G. E. Clarke. Asst. Hon. Secretary—Mr. A. F. Austen.

The Naval and Civilian representatives will be chosen at the next meeting.

Three Civilian teams which took part last season, the Kowloon Indian T.C., Argonauts and Central British Association, have joined the United

NOTES OF CURRENT INTEREST

(By "The Pilgrim")

There is a rumour about town that the Shanghai ladies now in Hongkong will probably field a team in the Crier Cup League this season. It will be a wise move if the H.K. Ladies' Hockey Association allow them to do so. Otherwise these Shanghai ladies might play for different clubs in the competition which, I should imagine would not be quite fair. I rather think that Hongkong players should have first preference as far as their own teams are concerned. It is a rather complicated problem and I hope the ladies will discuss it.

I notice that at the meeting of the Ladies' Hockey Association held yesterday it was decided that the Shanghai lady players now in the Colony should take part in friendly matches only in view of the fact that they may return to the North at any moment. It is felt that it would not be fair to other teams in the local competitions if the visitors, after doing well, say, for two months, were suddenly to go back to Shanghai. It would be equally unfair if the visitors were to join the various teams participating in the local competitions, but I am sure Hongkong sides would be only too pleased to arrange matches with the visitors or to include them in their teams for the friendly games. Shanghai ladies are assured that they will get as much hockey in the Colony as they wish while they are with us. The decision reached is (Continued on Page 9.)

St. Andrew's Church Hall, top floor, on Wednesday, October 13, at 6 p.m. It is most important that at least one representative from each team should attend. The fixture list for the 1937-38 season will be made.



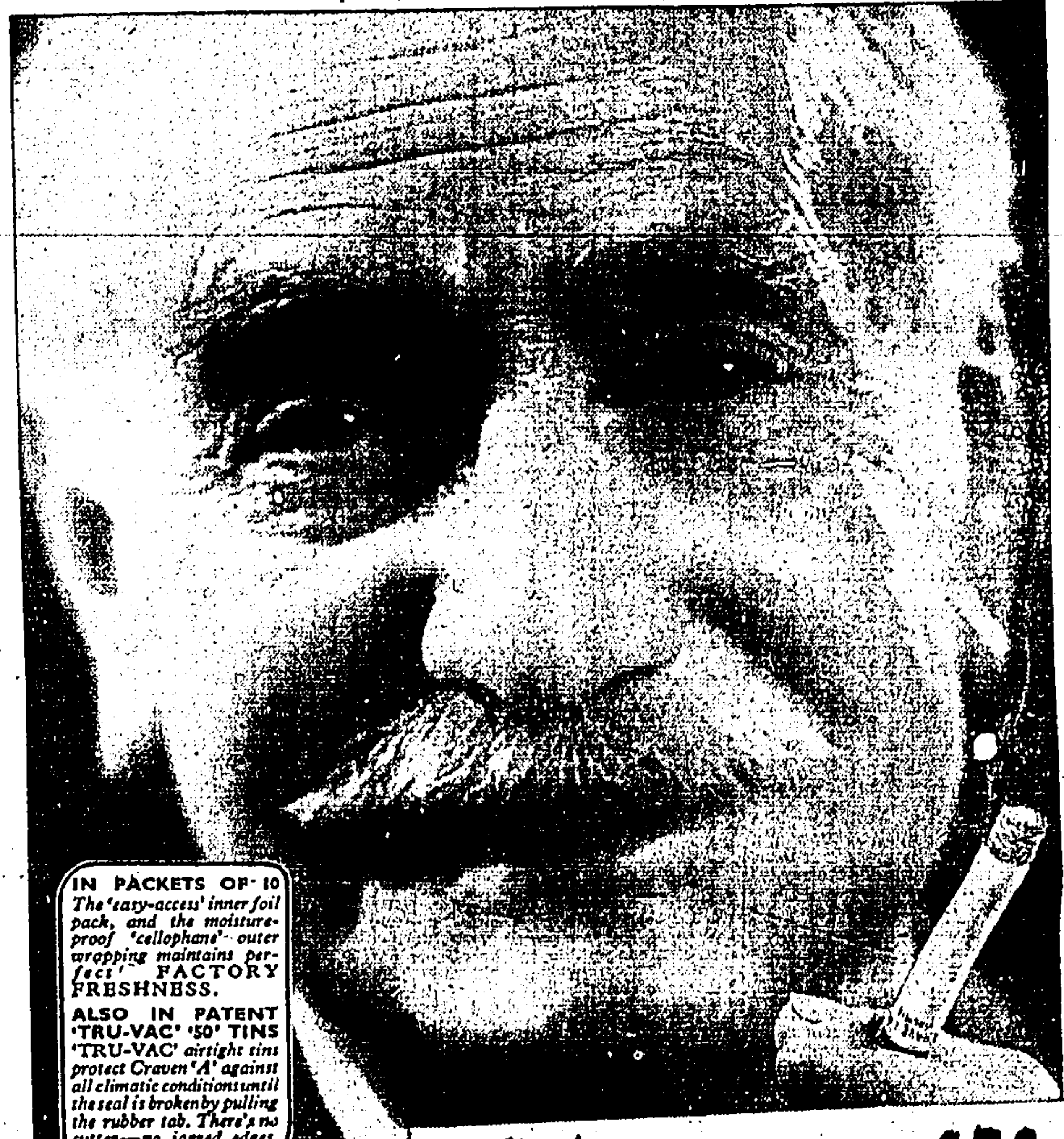
K. Hussain, the new Hon. Secretary of the Hockey Umpires' Board.

Tournament. The Royal Engineers have done the same.

TWO SECTIONS

The Tournament will probably be drawn up into two sections and from what I know of the teams, some very good games will be witnessed this season. The Rajputana Rifles, Seaforths and Panthers are new to the Tournament. The last-named are a Submarine team formed by Lieut. Donald, the well-known right-winger and Colony Interpreter.

Secretaries are reminded that there will be a General Meeting at



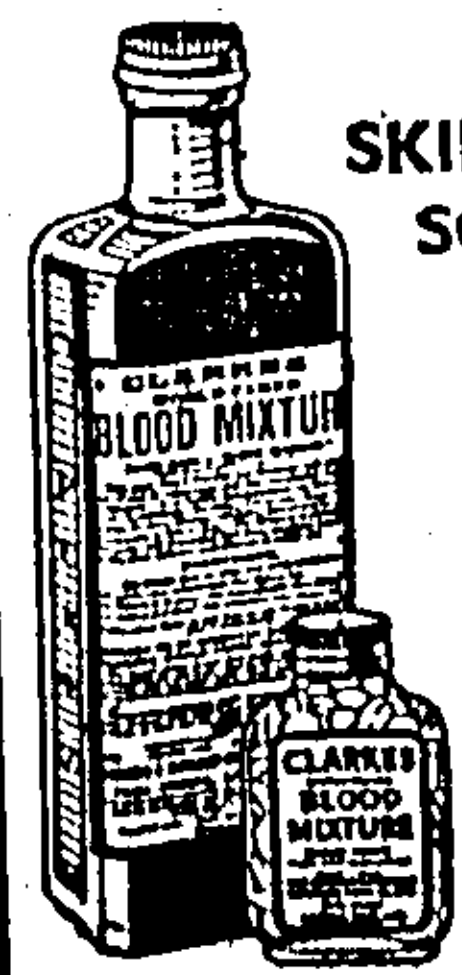
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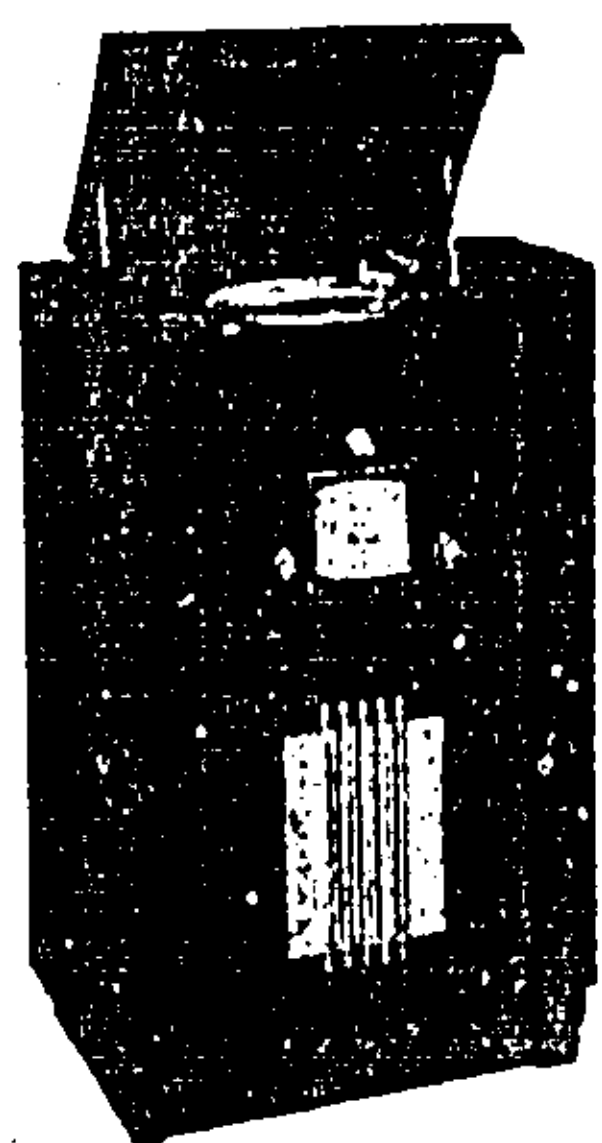
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SUNDAY QUEEN'S
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WEEKLY HOCKEY COMMENT

(Continued from Page 6.)

not meant as a slight to them but as a safeguard against the interest of our local competitions.

I am also glad to hear the ladies have applied for Umpires for the coming season through the H.K.H.A. The question was brought up at the last Council meeting and the Umpires Hockey Board will deal with the matter. I am positive the ladies will have little trouble during the coming season as far as Umpires are concerned.

Mr. K. Hussain is a keen umpire himself and he should prove of great assistance to all hockey clubs in the Colony.

I am sorry to hear that Eric Moses, the H.K. Club 2nd XI goalkeeper, intends to give up the game this season. He finds it impossible to turn out for the Club on Fridays, as the Volunteer meetings take place on this day and he is too keen a member of his Company to forsake it for a game of hockey.

Congratulations to J. Gonsalves, the Colony left-half and Interceptor, on his engagement. I do hope John won't spend too many week-ends at Macao where his fiancée resides. The Club de Recreio will need him badly for their week-end games.

The K.I.T.C. have elected a new hockey representative and he is no other than Pyra Singh, who led the Interceptor team against Macao last season. I wish him success.

Local players will be pleased to hear that St. Andrew's Club will run a men's team this season. Mr. F. A. Broadbridge is captain and is getting the following team together:—H. Millington, E. H. P. White, F. V. Wong, R. Dorrer, A. E. P. Guest, J. R. Wall, F. A. Broadbridge, A. G. Cox, W. H. Colledge, A. F. Austin and R. Baldwin. Their first match will take place next Tuesday, October 12, at 5.10 p.m. against Club de Recreio on the C.B.A. ground, Kowloon. It is interesting to see how the team will shape.

PARTING OF THE WAYS

Argonauts And Recreio Split

(By "The Pilgrim")

Argonauts and Club de Recreio have separated and each club will now function individually.

The Argonauts, who won the Civilian half of the Inter-section Tournament last season, will this year operate on their own and will include only members of the Argonauts, whereas last year several members of the Recreio turned out for them. The following will represent the Argonauts this year:—U. B. Souza, R. Xavier, A. S. Xavier, M. Gan, L. Oliveira, C. Remedios, F. Nolasco, F. X. Sequeira, P. Xavier, V. Gracia and A. Angelo.

The Argonauts have also joined the United Hockey Tournament. The Recreio will only participate in the Inter-section Tournament and friendly fixtures this season. Several of their members, including E. L. Gosano, A. M. Rodrigues, J. Gonsalves, Marques and T. Alves, who turned out for the Argonauts last season, will appear only for Recreio. They should be able to field a strong team this winter.

SPORT ADVTs.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

The Eighth Extra Race Meeting will be held (weather permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on Saturday, 9th and Monday, 11th October, 1937, commencing at 2.00 p.m. on both days.

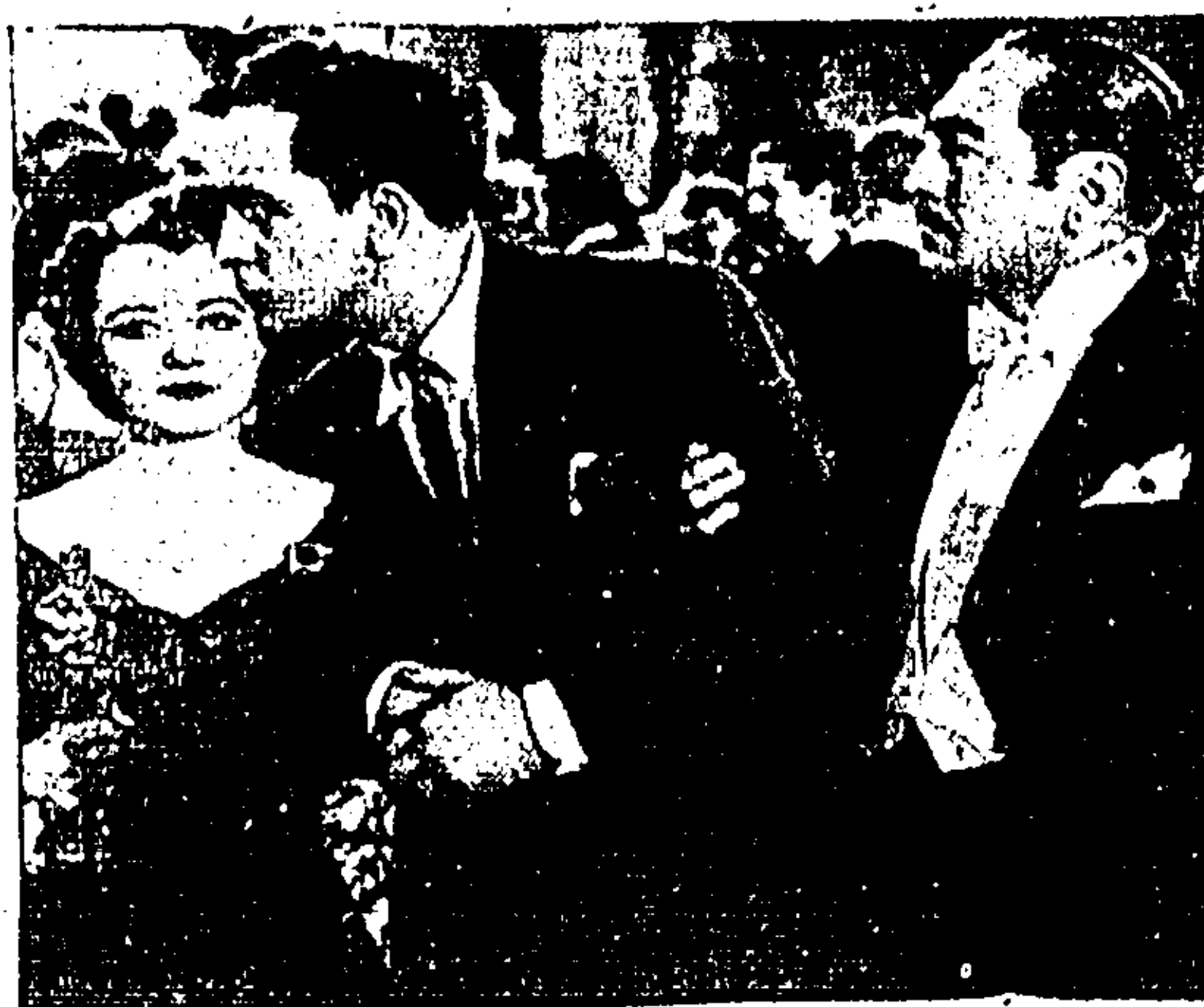
The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

By Order,

C. R. BROWN,

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Hongkong, 4th October, 1937.



The Academy Award is won again by Janet Gaynor on the screen as it was in life in "A Star is Born." David O. Selznick's technical production showing at the King's Theatre. Co-star Frederic March (also an Academy Award winner) salutes her, while Adolphe Menjou stands by.

YANKEES WIN SECOND GAME OF SERIES

NEED TWO MORE VICTORIES TO CLINCH TITLE

New York, Oct. 7.

Duplicating yesterday's rally in the sixth inning, the New York Yankees to-day won the second match in the World Baseball Series against the New York Giants by eight runs to one. They now need only two more victories to clinch the contest.

Ruffing, pitching for the winners, kept the Giants down to seven hits in the course of the nine innings; but the three pitchers tried by the Giants conceded 12 hits to the Yankees. Melton was named the losing pitcher.

The weather was warm and sunny, there being an attendance of 60,573 with total gate receipts \$229,552. Mr. Herbert Hoover, former President of the United States, was again present at the game.

Ruffing pitched unchanged for the Yankees. He was only in trouble twice, in the first and ninth innings. In the last frame, he conceded a walk and two singles, thus loading the bases, but then Moore grounded to third base and the runner was put out at home. Ruffing struck out eight batters.

In the first session, Ruffing "fanned" three, but the Giants, with two hits, scored what proved to be their lone run of the day.

GIANTS START WELL

Melton commenced well and held the Yankees helpless for four innings, allowing them only four hits. In the fifth, however, the American League champions bombarded him with four straight hits to force two men home, thus taking a lead of 2-1.

Gumbert replaced Melton in the box and staved off the Yankee attack for the remainder of the session.

The Yankees duplicated yesterday's sixth inning display of dynamite and forged further ahead with four runs. Gumbert then yielded to Coffman, who gave the Yankees slightly more resistance from the mound, allowing only two runs and two hits in the seventh. No more scoring took place for the remainder of the match.

The Yankees' runs were batted in by Selkirk and Ruffing, three each, and Dickey and Hoag one each, while Melvin Ott was responsible for the Giants' solitary tally.

The score-board at the end of the match read:

Yankees	8	12	0
Giants	1	7	0

FIRE AFTER GAME

A fire broke out in the bleachers shortly after the close of the game, threatening considerable damage to the stands, but it was soon extinguished.

The game to-morrow will be played at the Polo Grounds, the Giants' home field.

Pearson will be on the mound for the Yankees, and Schumacher will attempt to stem the tide for the Giants.—Reuter.

CRICKET TEAMS

The following teams have been chosen to represent the Kowloon Cricket Club in their games on Saturday and Monday:

Second XI v. the Royal Engineers on Saturday starting at 2 p.m. at Sookunpoo.—A. A. Dand (Capt.), W. L. McKenzie, S. A. Gray, G. A. V. Hall, N. D. Lloyd, B. D. Lay, R. T. Broadbridge, F. A. Broadbridge, K. M. Baxter, J. R. Lule, and R. A. J. Simpson. Umpire, H. Overly.

First XI v. the H.K.C.C. on Monday on the Club ground starting at 11 a.m.—F. Goodwin (Capt.), A. A. Dand, E. C. Fletcher, A. T. Lay, B. D. Lay, N. D. Lloyd, W. L. McKenzie, C. B. R. Sargent, K. M. Baxter, W. Mulcahy and R. Baldwin. Umpire, H. Overly.

Fastest Century By Hardstaff

J. Hardstaff, the Nottinghamshire and England batsman, won the trophy presented by Sir Walter Lawrence for the fastest century in a first-class match during the past season. Hardstaff reached three figures in 51 minutes against Kent at Canterbury in August.

Corinthians Due Here On February 18

Letter Received By Mr. Wong Ka-tsun

Mr. Wong Ka-tsun, of the South China A.A., announced this morning that he had received a letter from the Islington Corinthians, the English amateur football team which will be touring the Orient shortly, stating that they will arrive in the Colony on February 18 and will be able to play on February 19.

It is interesting to note that Mr. Tom Smith, who will be arranging the tour for the Corinthians, held trial games during September with the dual purposes of giving his players practice and finding out his best combination. He stated last month that he hoped to include L. C. Thornton and S. Eastham, two amateur internationals, in the team.

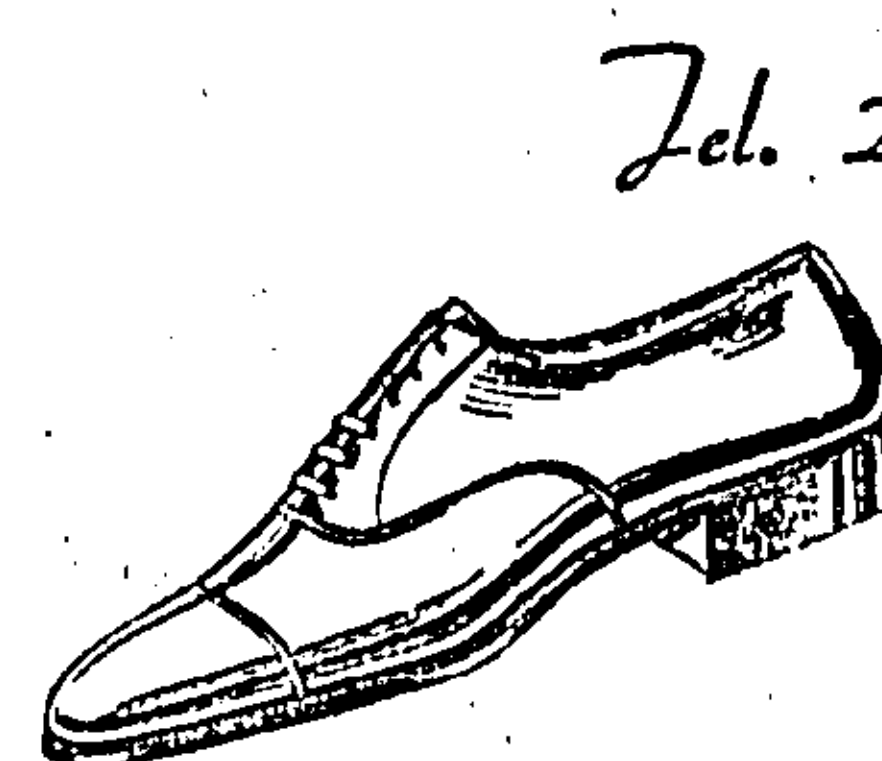
In view of the visit of the Corinthians, the Shanghai F.A. have asked Hongkong to send a team up to the north for the annual Interport contest in January and not in February, as has been done in the past.

DATE OF MATCH CHANGED

S. China "A" Play To-morrow

It was announced this morning that the match in the First Division of the Football League between South China "A" and the Middlesex Regiment will be played to-morrow at Caroline Hill instead of on Sunday as originally scheduled. The game will commence at 4.30 p.m.

Only one change has been made in the South China "A" side which defeated St. Joseph's last week by 4-3. Wong Wing, their former goal-keeper, will return to the team in place of Wong Wah-guy.



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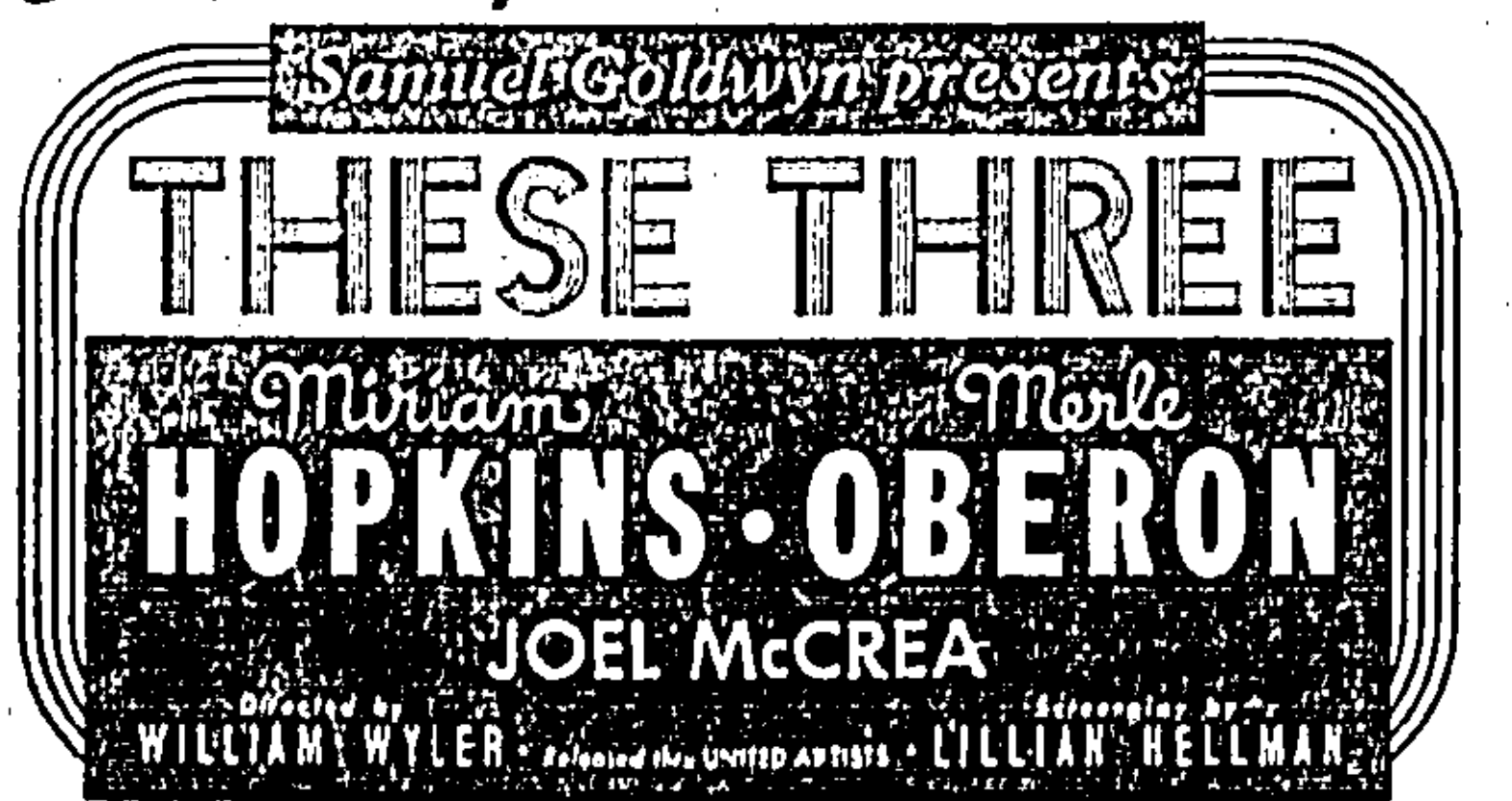


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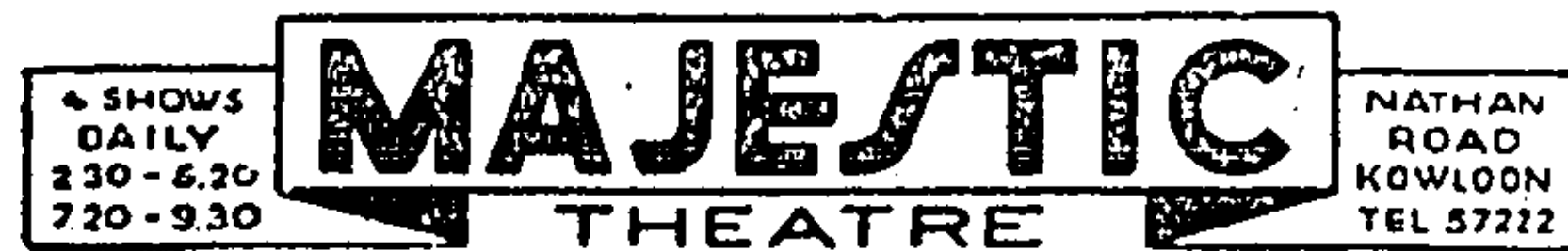
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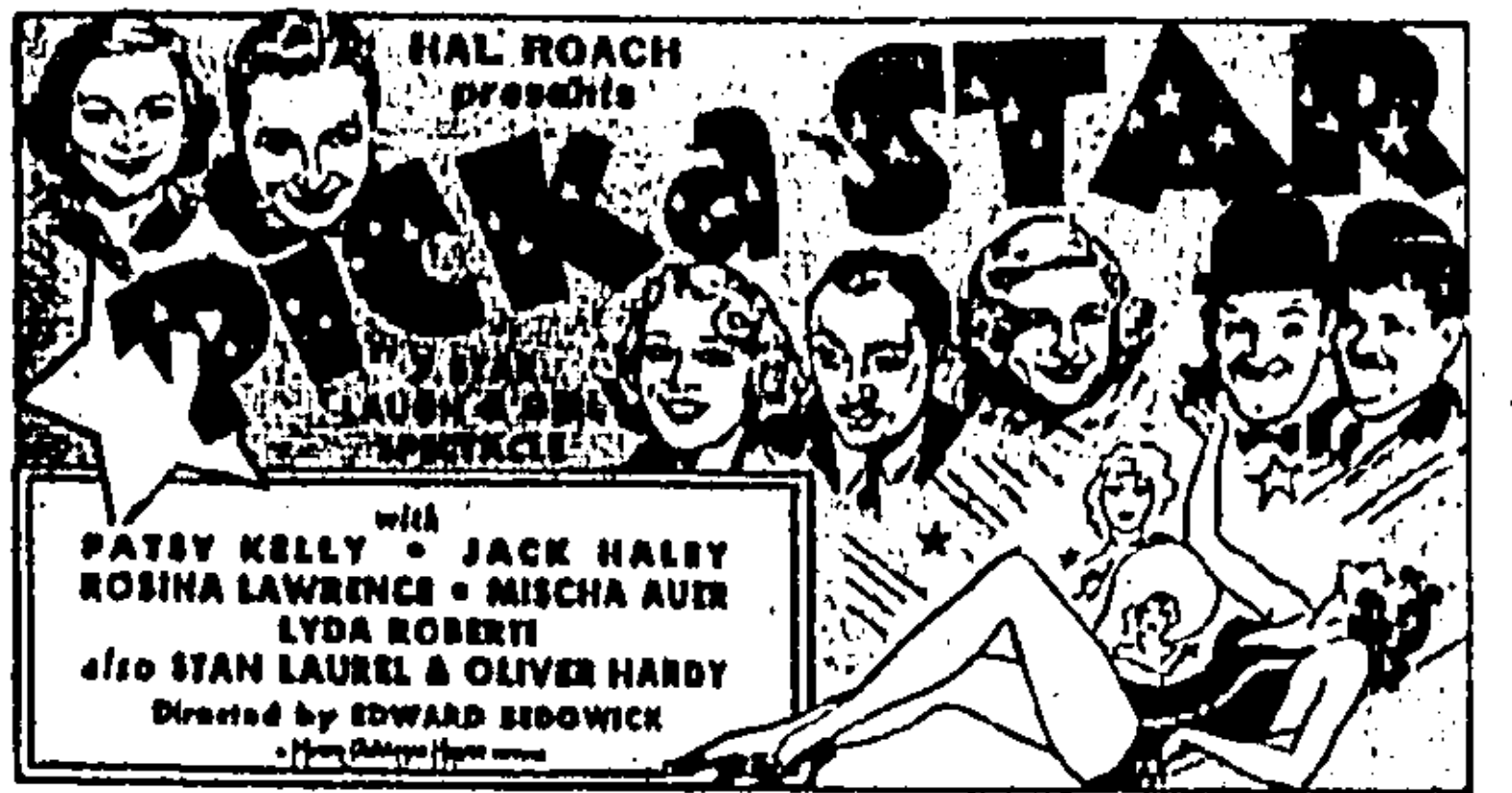
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U.S. Navy League Head's Opinion

Washington, Oct. 7. Mr. N. M. Hubbard, President of the Navy League, told the United Press to-day that the despatching of the full strength of the United States fleet to the Philippines should be a primary step in the actions of a "peace loving nation" against the "intolerance, aggressions, and warlike predatory governments like Japan."

He said it was necessary that the United States have an agreement with Britain to use the British sea bases at Singapore and Hongkong. If this were arranged Japan's position would immediately become untenable and she would be forced to withdraw from China.

END OF REGRESSION

Commenting on President Roosevelt's Chicago speech, Mr. Hubbard said it was a fine one and indicated the end of the United States policy of regression in the face of threats and "bluffs". He said it was essential to all peace lovers to indicate to Japan that her dream of a complete Eastern hegemony, with possible expansion throughout the world, must end.

Mr. Hubbard indicated that Japan's next logical steps would be firstly, acquisition of the Philippines, secondly, of Sumatra and the Malay Peninsula, thirdly, Hawaii, and fourthly, the continent of the United States. He added it was time to halt this creeping aggression.

SERIOUS HANDICAP

Mr. Hubbard pointed out that the United States was seriously handicapped over the Far Eastern situation because of her failure to establish a naval base at Mindanao, from where she could cut off Japanese communications whenever Japan extended her operations south or east.

He said it was most essential to the entire western world that the United States be re-established as China's No. 1 ally and protector. For the United States and the world to give expression to the intention of taking strong measures would prevent future Japanese aggression, and would make Japan immediately cease her aggression.—United Press.

ADMIRAL DUE HERE MONDAY

Flagship At Amoy At Present

His Excellency the C-in-C, Admiral Sir Charles Little, arrived at Amoy aboard his flagship, H.M.S. Cumberland yesterday and will proceed to Hongkong, where he is due on Monday.

H.M.S. Seawolf has returned from Macao where she participated in the anniversary of the Proclamation of the Republic of Portugal celebrations. H.M.S. Westcott arrives to-night from Weihaiwei.

DUNERA ARRIVES

The Transport Dunera arrived this morning from Southampton with naval and military reliefs for China, the lists of which have already been published.

Among the arrivals was Col. A. Brackstone Thompson who is replacing Brigadier I. C. Seth Smith as head of Administration of the China Command. This morning the details were busy disembarking and taking up their new quarters.

The Dunera does not leave Hongkong until October 15 when military and naval personnel will be going on board on leave, retirement and transfer.

Italian Ship Attacked By Aircraft

London, Oct. 7. The Italian steamer Ettore was attacked by a seaplane between Spain and North Africa according to a message received in London to-day. The steamer was not damaged, neither was the seaplane identified.—Reuter.

PREMIER TO TALK ON FAR EAST

London, Oct. 7. Lord Plymouth told Conservatives at Scarborough, that the Prime Minister would deal with the Far Eastern situation in a speech he will make to-morrow night at a great public demonstration to be held in connection with the Party Conference.—British Wireless.

GERMANY, ITALY WILL NOT MOVE AGAINST JAPAN

Berlin Says Boycott Would Be Futile

ITALY DEAF TO APPEAL FROM OLD ENEMIES

Italy and Germany are declining to assist other powers in their efforts to put a stop to Japan's campaign in China.

Well-informed quarters in Germany state the nation will not join any boycott of Japan. In Italy it is stated the Government is unable to accept even the invitation to discuss the situation from the League, because Italy has a boycott of her own—against Geneva.

Berlin, Oct. 7. Germany is unwilling to join any international anti-Japanese boycott movement, according to Ostasiatische Rundschau, which generally reflects the views of the Wilhelmstrasse. It is the published opinion of this organ that the boycott would be futile.

Reuter learns in business circles that the German export traders are making strenuous efforts to overcome the trade difficulties in the Far East within the limitations caused by the conflict.

The reports from authoritative quarters that the shipping situation in the Far East is much improved have evoked much interest here.—Reuter.

Boycott Of Her Own

Rome, Oct. 7. Italy will not participate in the Far Eastern conference proposed by the League of Nations Assembly and supported even outside the League, it is learned.

Italy, it is stated, is unable to accept any invitation from the League, which she herself is boycotting until the conquest of Ethiopia is recognized.

Moreover, in view of Japan's obvious non-participation in the Far East conference it is unofficially asserted that Signor Benito Mussolini will never take a step which might be given an anti-Japanese interpretation.—Reuter.

No Comment

Berlin, Oct. 7. No official German comment has been issued regarding the United States attitude to the Far Eastern conflict, but circles in close touch with the Wilhelmstrasse point out that Germany, being a country outside of the Pacific Ocean Powers, wishes to abstain from acting as judge in a conflict, the cause of which is very much open to debate.

It is known, however, that Germany is strongly affected in the economic respect by events in China, and it is emphasised that Germany will be considerably interested in a revision of conditions at a later date.—Reuter.

Invitation Not Received

Washington, Oct. 7. Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, at a press conference to-day, said that no invitation to a Nine-Power conference had yet been received, but as one of the signatories to the Treaty he "presumed" the United States Government would accept the invitation when it was received.

Mr. Hull also said he had received no communication proposing that the

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conference be held in Washington. He added that the United States Government had not consulted the other American republics before issuing its condemnation of Japan, but had acted independently in accordance with established policy.—Reuter.

Favours Boycott

Victoria, B.C., Oct. 7. The Victoria Trades Union and Labour Council has passed a resolution in favour of a boycott of Japanese, Italian and German goods.—Reuter.

Demanding Action

Denver, Oct. 7. Mr. Matthew Wolf, Vice-President of the Federation of Labour, has joined other Federation leaders in demanding a boycott of Japanese goods.

In a statement to-day he said he was confident the American people would not want to assist Japan indirectly in her campaign of violent aggression.—Reuter.

Siam Explains

Bangkok, Oct. 7. In an official statement, explaining Siam's abstention from voting at the League Assembly yesterday, it is pointed out that the action was taken in accordance with established policy based on peace, and the desire to maintain friendly relations with all nations.—Reuter.

Urges U.S. Support

Denver, Oct. 7. An appeal to the annual convention of the American Federation of Labour Party in boycotting Japanese goods, is made by the President of the Federation, Mr. William Green.—Reuter.

DUKE OF WINDSOR TO SEE HITLER

Expected To Reach Berlin Monday

Berlin, Oct. 7. Circles in close contact with the Wilhelmstrasse state that the Duke and Duchess of Windsor will arrive on Monday.

It is a purely private visit, and originated at the personal initiative of the Duke, who would like to become acquainted with the social institutions and the National Socialism of Germany, especially with the workers' dwellings and the Reich labour service social measures in industry and trade, and all other questions concerning the social position of workers in Germany.

The Duke will receive all facilities in order to give him a genuine insight into the questions interesting him, and to show him, as he desires, the social and economic structure of Germany.

He will probably stay in Berlin for three days, after which he will make a ten or twelve days' tour of inspection of the country.

It is regarded as probable that the Duke will be received by Herr Adolf Hitler, and an open discussion will take place between Hitler and his English guests about the questions which are interesting the Duke.—Reuter.

Two British Ships Taken Off Spain

London, Oct. 7. The Admiralty has received news that two British steamers, the York Beak and Dover Abbey, have been captured off the north coast of Spain by an insurgent trawler.

The capture was not observed by British warships.—Reuter.

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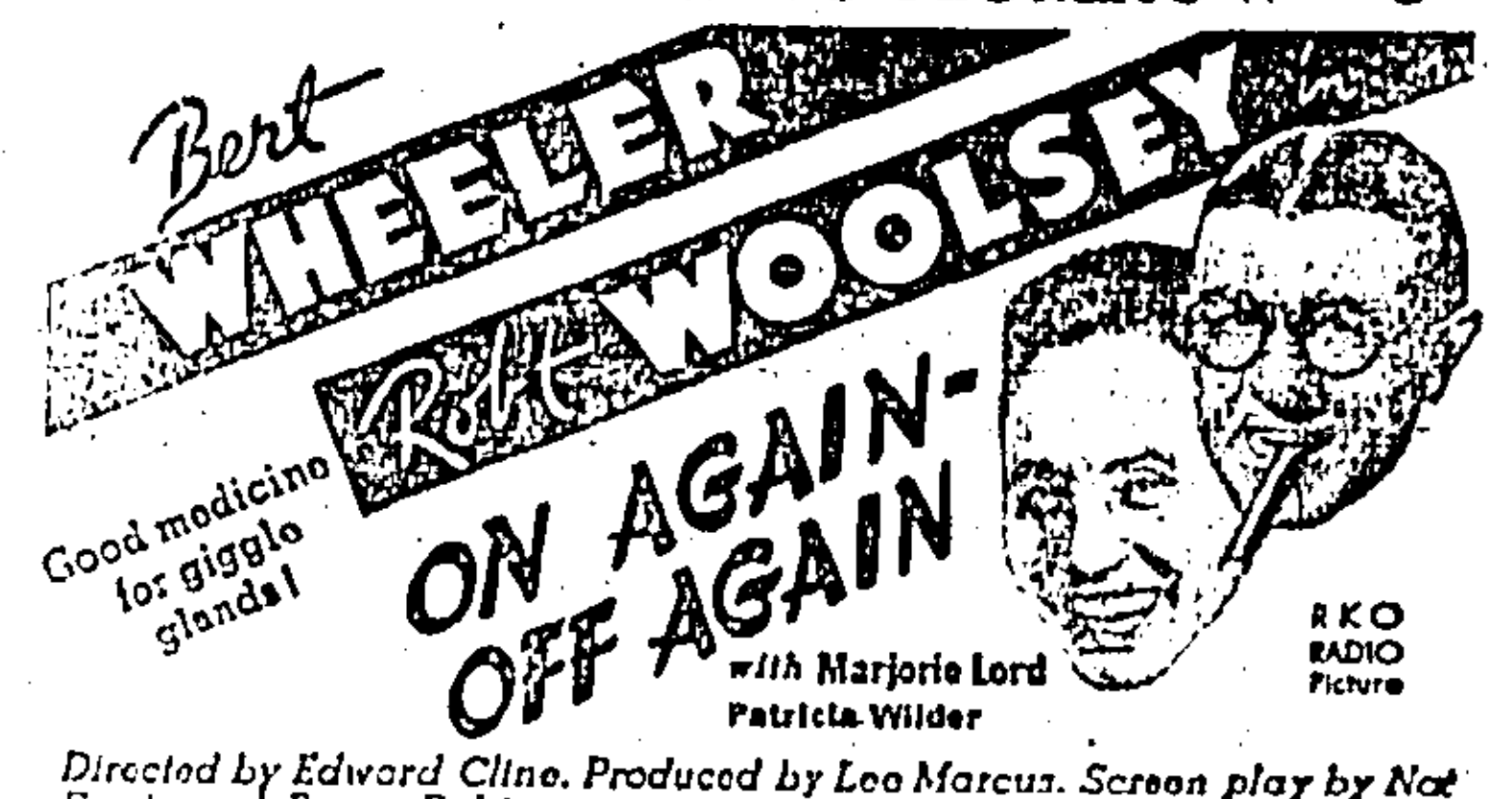
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QUARANTINE RESTRICTIONS

Quarantine restrictions have been imposed by the Weihaiwei Government and Customs Authorities at Taku (Tientsin) against arrivals from Hongkong on account of cholera.

RETURNS TO COLONY

Dr. Adamzewsky has returned to Hongkong with his children from a prolonged stay in Karuzawa where his wife is convalescing from a severe attack of typhoid.

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